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## FARMER'S UNION IN SESSION

Oliver Taylor, secretary of the Pontotoc county farmers' union, had a called meeting for today at Ada, and quite a number of delegates and members are present.

The meeting is being held in the court house, and the principal feature of the day will be a speech by ex-President West of the Farmers' Union.

A meeting will also be held tonight and all are invited.

The Devil is an interesting personage at all time, and in the reproduction of the play by that name at the opera house tonight, his Satanic Majesty is most naturally portrayed.

Deputy Sheriff Shook, of Roff, is in Ada today.

### Marriage License.

Bethel Allen, 24, of Conway, and Miss Ora Tripp, 18, of Stonewall.

### Oklahoma Socialists to Meet.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 11.—Oklahoma Socialists, who polled more than 20,000 votes, are to gather in a three days' state convention at this place, beginning Dec. 27, for the purpose of exchanging compliments over the showing made in the recent campaign, and to lay plans for the future. It is expected the meeting will bring at least 2,000 Socialists here. O. F. Branstetter, state secretary, may tender his resignation at this meeting. He is being talked as a possibility for national secretary.

### Tennessee Night Riders.

Union City, Tenn., Dec. 11.—A total of thirty-three indictments were returned today by the special grand jury empaneled to investigate the recent night rider raids in the Reelfoot Lake region. Of this number, twenty-one charge murder (the lynching of Capt. Quinten Rankin at Walnut Log.) six allege participation in the burning of the fish docks of J. C. Burdick at Samburg and the other six charge a violation of the Ku-Klux act, a felonious assault while in disguise, a capital offense. The identity of those indicted was not disclosed. Preparation is being made by both the state and defense for the trials of the alleged leaders of the band, which will begin Monday, and before that time all matters of preliminary nature will be disposed of in order that the trial may proceed without interruption.

## PRISON HORRORS

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 11.—That the law of Kansas prohibiting inhuman punishment of prisoners in the penitentiary is being flagrantly violated and that Oklahoma prisoners are being subjected to the most hideous treatment, is the charge made in her annual report to the governor by Miss Kate Benard, state commissioner of charities and corrections.

She found a "mining hell inside the prison gates," men worked to the limit of endurance and the horrifying paralyzation of prisoners in the "hall of punishments." She faced the anathemas of the prison guards and talked in private against the rules to prisoners, and they told her stories of cruelty that made her blood chill.

Miss Barnard advocates the immediate discontinuance of the contract with the state of Kansas for the keeping of state convicts and advises that the legislature make a contract with congress for the keeping of convicts at the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, of which institution she speaks in heartiest praise.

The remainder of the report includes examinations and criticisms of the county and municipal jails of Oklahoma, insane asylums, orphan homes, deaf and blind schools, receiving homes and other sociological matters investigated the last year.

### Lausing Penitentiary.

Miss Barnard says: "Warden Haskell questioned my right to inspect the prison. He said: 'You have no business in this institution.' I spent several hours in the mines, visited the punishment chamber, saw the 'crib,' the dungeon, and where the 'water cure' was administered. I was constantly thwarted in my efforts to speak to the Oklahoma prisoners. Finally he (Warden Haskell) permitted one prisoner to be ushered in to me. I talked about three minutes when the warden returned. A second prisoner was admitted. Warden Haskell retired leaving the door ajar. I spoke to the prisoner in a low tone. This did not suit the warden and he ordered me to sit at a distance from the boy thus compelling us to speak louder. A third man was admitted. This seemed to be the limit of the warden's patience. He said: 'I refuse to permit you to speak to this prisoner alone.' The prisoner bravely faced the wrath of the warden by describing the water cure which had been administered to him. No other prisoners were admitted.

"I heard a great deal of complaint with regard to the food. The dinner in the mine consisted of two pieces of bologna sausage, three inches long, and all the prisoners wanted of plain bread and tomato soup. In Leavenworth I found our men were fed nearly twice the amount of food."

Miss Barnard then states there were 575 prisoners at Lansing, and that many of them were contracted out as cheap labor and that the state of Kansas made a net profit of 42 cent per day on Oklahoma contracts, Oklahoma paying 40 cents per day for maintenance and Kansas getting 50 cents from the contractors, while the actual cost of maintenance was not more than 48 cents.

### NEGRO WAS THE COOLEST.

He Pays Death Penalty for Assaulting Aged Woman.  
Tecumseh, Okla., Dec. 11.—Sharply at 11:07 this forenoon the death trap was sprung and in eight minutes, Dr. Byrum of Shawnee pronounced the body of Will Johnson, murderer, dead. Twice reprieved from the gallows, once by the intervention of the governor and again by the United States circuit court, Johnson paid the law's extreme penalty for the murder of Mrs. Mary Cuppy, committed near Shawnee, February 23 last.

Johnson was the coolest, the most composed man on the scaffold. "Send my body to my old mother in Texas," was the only request he made.

The Devil at the opera house tonight is one of the best plays ever at Ada. There is special scenery and in all its appurtenances, the play is up to a high standard.

S. P. Steward of Roff is in Ada today.

## MAY LICENSE THE JOINTS

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 11.—The Dubuque, Iowa, form of government is to be tried in Muskogee, that is to say, the Dubuque idea as far as it pertains to the regulation of the liquor traffic is to be given a fair and impartial trial in this city.

Recognizing the fact that the prohibition law is a dead letter as far as Muskogee is concerned and that an attempt to enforce the law here is both expensive and without result, Mayor Martin and the city councilmen have come to the conclusion that as the law cannot be enforced it is the duty of the city to see to it that those engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors contribute their fair share towards the support of the city government, which goes to an enormous expense in looking after those who commit crime as a result of strong drink—and in the second instance to protect those who have become intoxicated.

At the next meeting of council an ordinance will be introduced fixing a license on saloon and joint keepers at not less than \$100 per month and the indications now are that the amount will be placed as high as \$200. While the city officials will in no manner agree to afford the saloon keepers any protection, they still will insist that as long as they remain open and do business they must contribute to the support of the city. The officials will see to it that the joints which fail to pay the license and other places where the disreputable are allowed to congregate are suppressed and the police department will bend its efforts toward suppressing the places which are obnoxious.

Mayor Martin, on his return to Muskogee Thursday, took the booze question up, and while he will give out no definite statement until after the return of the city councilmen to the city, it can be stated with authority that he mayor is in favor of forcing the saloon keepers to pay a heavy license as long as they do business in violation of the law.

The mayor conferred with Judge Campbell and other officials this morning and all are of the one opinion, and that is, that as long as the city is forced to regulate the police affairs those responsible for the trouble should stand at least a portion of the expense.

Incidentally it might be mentioned that the saloons are now all wide open and a rushing business is being done.

The Dubuque plan of government is known throughout the entire country. While the state of Iowa

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I. HARRIS

operates under a prohibition law, Dubuque is wide open, it having been found impossible to enforce the law in that city. After there had been acquittal after acquittal in the courts, the city took a hand in the matter and fixed a high license and since that time the city has been under complete regulation.

Go to the Devil—at the opera house tonight—but not to any other place or time. It is a play that will please you. Patronize these high-class plays and others will visit Ada.

### Carpenter Robbed of Money.

Checotah, Okla., Dec. 11.—While he was returning from Muskogee Wednesday night Joseph Morgan was robbed of \$560. He had gone to Muskogee, where he sold some property, for which he received the money. The authorities have a theory that some person saw Morgan with the cash and followed him from Muskogee. Morgan is a carpenter.

### Care Was Killed.

The Kill Kare Klub met with Mesdames Galbraith and Ebey Thursday afternoon. The name of the club became the occasion in appropriateness personified. The blandishments on any social occasion in this home would kill care. Mrs. McKnight, Mrs. Duncan's sister and Miss Weaver, Otis and Carlton Weaver's sister, were the honor guests.

"Monte Cristo" is always new to us with its ever appealing romance of mystery, vengeance and riches. Alexandre Dumas builded better than he knew when he wrote the story of Edmund Dantes, it is now numbered among the one-hundred great books

of the world. Stories may come and stories may go, but "Monte Cristo" like "Uncle Tom's Cabin," seems endowed with perpetual youth. As a play it is one of the most popular with the theatre goers, and the hero, Edmund Dantes, is a part sought after by many actors. Mr. W. H. Lemle, who is now being featured as Dantes in Fred G. Conrad's production of "Monte Cristo" for the third season, has given the character study and is classed as being one of the best impersonators of Dumas' romantic Frenchman. Mr. Lemle is well fitted by nature for the part in every way—he possesses the figure, voice and face, and brings to his work a ripe experience and schooling with some of the best artists of the dramatic profession. Mr. Lemle will appear here as Edmund Dantes at the Opera House, Wednesday night, Dec. 16th.

### Clerk Campbell's Report.

Guthrie, Ok., Dec. 11.—The annual report of W. H. L. Campbell, clerk of the supreme court, has been filed with Gov. Haskell, showing that there are now pending before the two appeal courts 637 cases, 498 being before the supreme court and 139 before the court of criminal appeals. Pending on the docket at the time of statehood were 454 cases, and 509 more had been filed before both courts up to Nov. 1. The two courts have delivered opinions in, or disposed of, 326 cases since statehood.

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## PONTOTOC COUNTY VALUATIONS.

Pontotoc County shows up well in assessed valuation, the total being \$6,418,265.00.

Of this amount, the real estate is \$1,541,468.00.

The personal property is \$2,291,194.00, while the remainder is assessments at Ada and Roff.

The total assessed valuation in Ada, lack little of being one-third of the total amount in the county, and is \$1,621,040, exclusive of cement plant and railroads.

This makes a most excellent showing for Ada, and carries with it an explanation of the importance of this city in the material affairs of Pontotoc county.

Ada expects to make great progress within the next twelve months, and it is to be trusted that the county will also do as well.

## ADA'S BANKS.

A scrutiny of the published statements lately appearing in the News of the condition of the leading Ada banks readily impresses one that though hard times and poor business may prevail as to the first person in many instances, in reality, there remains ample money with which to transact banking business in the country. The First National, the Ada National and the Oklahoma State bank of which we speak, show increased deposits and cash reserves. These banks truly reflect the condition of the Ada country and it ain't so bad.

The report of Miss Kate Bernard the State commissioner of Charities, relative to the treatment of Oklahoma convicts in the Kansas penitentiary, discloses a horrible condition of affairs there, and also instances of brutality that are appalling. There will surely be measures taken to abrogate the contract with Kansas.

Circuit Judge Winfield of Little Rock has decided that there is no law in Arkansas against profanity. If things don't suit you just cross over into Arkansas and swear until you are happy.—Vinita Leader.

The Postal Savings Bank bill is apparently going to have pretty tough sledding in congress. The measure will come up in the senate as a special order of December

14. The country bankers are reported up in arms and a campaign has been inaugurated which is, at least, making the senators sit up and take notice.—Denison Herald.

The government's cotton crop estimate is 12,920,000. This may be too high or too low, but the price will be based upon it, right or wrong.—Dallas News.

There is really lots a new things and new ways of doing things, if you will only hunt for them. A New Yorker a few days ago discovered a new way of committing suicide. He swallowed an open razor.—Holdenville Times.

Any man can become impatient, kick up a row and cause untold dissatisfaction, but to the patient, energetic smooth spirited man belongs the honors of having been a material factor in the development of any town or country.—Weleetka American.

## BRYAN AND GATES.

Each Had Heard of the Other But Never Before Met.

Port Arthur, Tex., Dec. 11.—William Jennings Bryan delivered his lecture, "The Prince of Peace," in the Rodgers Opera House here tonight. The house was crowded, notwithstanding his address was very short, as he had to close in time to catch the 9:45 o'clock northbound Kansas City train. Mr. Bryan was met in Beaumont by a large committee. The Sabine Pass Pilots' Association tendered the tug Florida, and John W. Gates placed his large automobiles at the disposal of the entertainment committee, of which he was a member, and Mr. Bryan was this afternoon shown over the city and the surrounding country. The party visited all the principal business industries of the city, including the docks, refineries, etc. A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Adams for Mrs. Bryan, which was attended by a large number of Port Arthur ladies. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan expressed themselves as being very agreeably surprised and were very favorably impressed with Port Arthur. Mr. Bryan came here to lecture at the solicitation of some of the churches of the city, who were represented by their ministers. Mr. Gates and Mr. Bryan met today for the first time, and the remark of both was "I have heard much of you, but have never had the honor of meeting you."

The composer of music may be pardoned for putting on airs.

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## WITH THE CHURCHES.

There will be no preaching services at Asbury Methodist church tomorrow, as the pastor, Rev. Barnhardt, will be at Fitzhugh. Sunday school and leagues will be held as usual.

## The Presbyterian Church.

There will be a short sermon at 11:00 a. m., and the theme will be, "The Lord's Supper." After the sermon our regular quarterly communion service will be held. Those who are ready to unite with the church will be received just before the sermon. At 7:30 p. m., the theme will be, "God as Our Father." The Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., and the Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m. The presence of friends and strangers always appreciated.

J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

## Look at the Clouds

or the sun, and whichever you see, be reminded that you will find a welcome at the First Methodist church tomorrow. The pastor, Rev. W. M. Wilson, will preach at the morning and evening hours. The Bible study service—the Sunday school—begins at 10 a. m.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock the Junior and Intermediate Leagues have their regular meetings. At 6:30 p. m., the Senior Epworth League will welcome you to their devotional service. Come.

When Dame Fortune knocks at our door we are consumed with the hope that our neighbors are all looking out of their windows.

It's a safe bet that the man who barely escapes being run over by a motor car does not call the driver a chauffeur.

## Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County. In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased.

To the Heirs, Next of Kin and Creditors of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased.

You are hereby notified that J. T. Higgins, has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, for letters of administration on the estate of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased to be granted to J. T. Higgins, and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said Court in the City of Ada, in said County, on the 22nd

day of December, 1908 at ten o'clock a. m., at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted. Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 12th day of December, 1908.

JOEL TERRELL,  
County Judge.

## WANT CAPITAL LOCATED.

Gov. Haskell Thinks it Important to Settle Matter at Once.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 11.—Asked today if he would convene the legislature at another place than Guthrie for the next session, Governor Haskell replied that he had given the matter no consideration.

It is hardly regarded that the governor will convene the legislature elsewhere, but that the second legislature will be immediately asked to locate the capital permanently is generally stated. Governor Haskell said emphatically that he was in favor of the immediate location of the capital and that elsewhere from Guthrie. He said that there are many things awaiting the settlement of this one question, and that so long as the matter of a permanent capital was in doubt the affairs of the state would be to an extent impeded. He referred particularly to the location of state institutions, schools, etc.

The governor said that he was speaking from the standpoint of a private citizen, and that he thought the sooner the capital was moved from Guthrie the better it would be for Guthrie and for the state. Asked if the legislature had the power to move the capital he replied again with emphasis that it did.

"The enabling act," he said, "was one of the baldest jokes ever perpetrated by Bird McGuire. Bird McGuire knew that he could not burden Oklahoma with any such legislation."

## Watches at Warrens.

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## Notice, Hotels.

The law requires all hotels to maintain a coiled rope in each room above the ground floor, one end of which shall be securely fastened within the room, and the law further makes it mandatory that there shall be posted cards near by in these rooms on which shall be printed, "In case of fire, unwrap rope, throw out and climb down." These printed cards on sale at the News office. 213dwtf.

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# Church Directory

## First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

## Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. E. Smoot, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent. Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

## First Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrenbeck, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

## Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. J. D. White, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

## North Ada Baptist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. D. J. Austin, pastor. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

## First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 7:30.

## Asbury Methodist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30.

Rev. C. C. Barnhardt, pastor. Sunday School every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. W. H. Nettles, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30.

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## Bankruptcy Notice.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the matter of D. T. Gray, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

## Notice of Sale By Trustees.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the order of the Referee in Bankruptcy herein, made on the 4th day of December, 1908, the undersigned Trustee of the above named bankrupt estate will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the former place of business of said bankrupt in the town of Allen, Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., on Thursday the 17th day of December, 1908, the entire stock of general merchandise belonging to said bankrupt estate together with the fixtures and certain live stock consisting of hogs, horses, etc., valued at approximately Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00), sale to be subject to confirmation by the Referee in Bankruptcy herein. Reasonable opportunity will be given prospective purchasers to examine the invoice books and stock of goods previous to the hour of sale.

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Trustee

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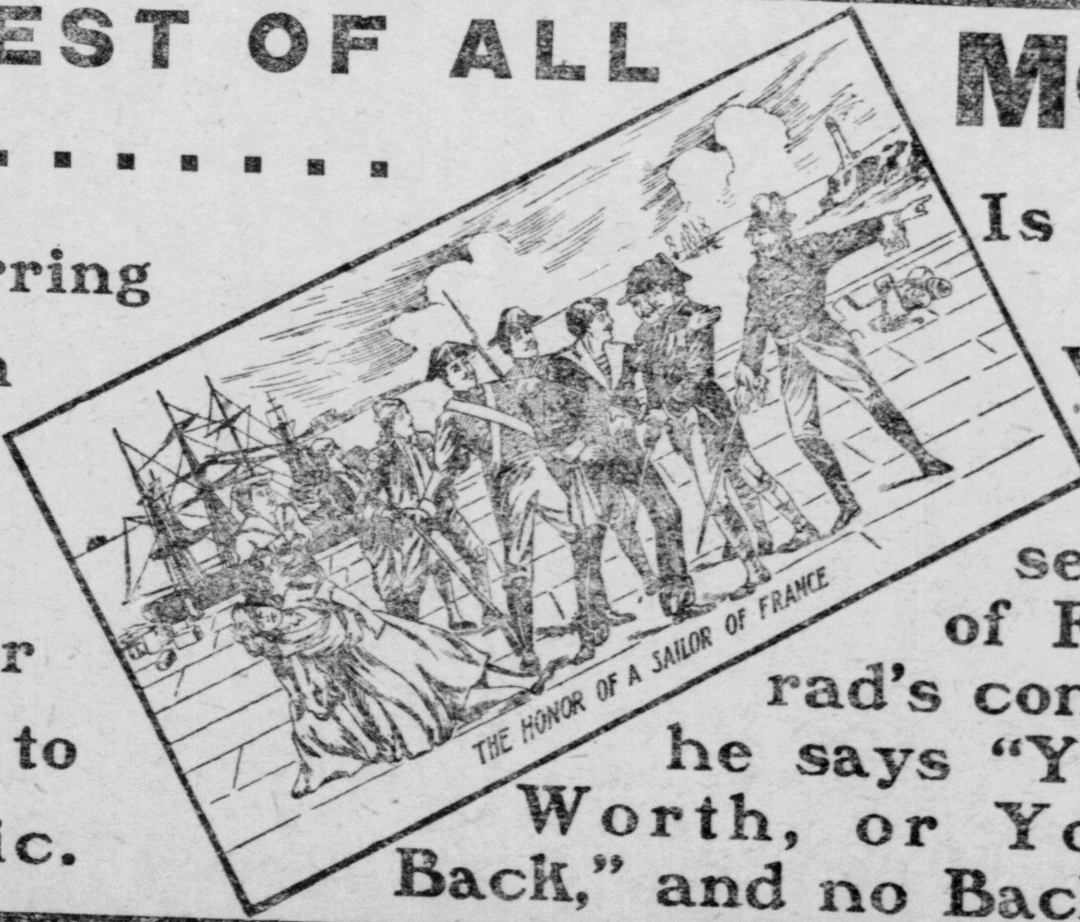
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## At the Ada Opera House Wednesday Night, December 16th.



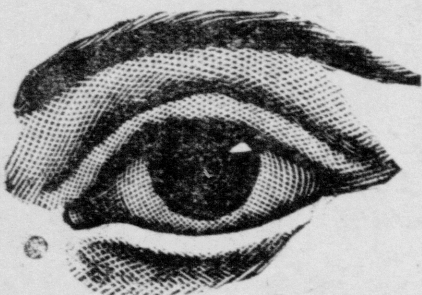
# PERSONAL COLUMN

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.	
<b>FRISCO.</b>	
Eastbound.	
No. 508 due 10 a. m.	
No. 510 due 4:15 p. m.	
Westbound.	
No. 509 due 11:30 a. m.	
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.	
<b>M. K. &amp; T.</b>	
Southbound.	
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.	
Northbound.	
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.	
<b>OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.</b>	
Westbound.	
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.	
Eastbound.	
No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.	

Hot drinks at Ramsey's. 213dtf

Rev. W. M. Wilson returned Friday evening from several days visit at Duncan.

A fresh car of Nebraska flour has been received at Aldrich & Thompson's. 218d5t



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Mrs. W. M. Wilson went to Holdenville this morning, where she will meet her sister, Mrs. J. H. Briscoe from Helena, Ark., who is to make her a visit. Mrs. Wilson will return this evening.

Phone number 44 is the People's Pharmacy, and they will be glad to serve you. 220dtf

Mrs. Laura Puckett, Great Commander of Oklahoma Maccabees, will be the guest of honor with the Ada lodge at their regular meeting this evening. Mrs. Puckett is from Stillwell, Okla.

A new car of corn, chops and bran just received at Aldrich & Thompson's. 218d5t

Judge Winn will spend Sunday with his wife in Sherman.

Corn, bran, hay, corn chops, cotton seed, meal and proflalfa, at NEELY'S. 220d3t

J. B. Emory moves today into the residence vacated by Andy Chapman.

Big reduction in heating stoves at 218dtf CASE & HUDELSON'S.

Miss Ona Edwards of Francis was an Ada visitor today.

Merry Widow, the popular new drink at Ramsey's. 206dtf

Miss May Rakes of Francis was visiting Ada friends today.

Be sure to try the "Mother's Bread" at City Bakery, Knott Bros., proprietors. 217dtf

Baxter Fretwell of Stonewall is in Ada.

What is Nerver?

L. A. Montgomery, an experienced and capable pharmacist, is with the Donaghey drug store, formerly J. E. Jones & Co. 217dtf

Mrs. West of Francis was shopping in Ada today.

Try a Nerver Cocktail at Ramsey's fountain.

Mrs. J. W. Coffman, who has been quite ill for several weeks is reported better today.

Corn, bran, hay, corn chops, cotton seed meal and proflalfa, at NEELY'S.

Phone 139. 220d3t

A. J. Webber returned from Sulphur today.

Nerver, Nerver, Nerver.

H. Brown of Kansas City, is the guest of his nephew, T. J. Kuncie. Ask for Nerver at Ramsey's.

"Mother's Bread" is baked only by the City Bakery, in Ada. Try it and be convinced that it is as good as "mother use to make." 217dtf

**JUST RECEIVED.**  
Another shipment of ladies suits in all colors. Satin lined coats, full length, nicely trimmed in all wool serges and panamas, and owing to late delivery, we are cutting the prices. So every lady can afford to buy a new suit for Christmas. \$25.00 and \$30.00 suits for \$17.50. \$15.00 and \$17.50 suits for \$10.00. Come quick before your sizes are gone.  
**GRAND LEADER.**

E. E. Matthews returned this morning from a business trip to Sulphur.

The skating hall is open from 7 to 11, each evening and there are two sessions. Those who desire can skate any time during the day. 217dtf

## Mothers.

The mothers will meet in Mothers' Club at the south school building Monday afternoon at four o'clock. 2212td

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information. dtf

Sprague Bros., have a full line of Christmas presents in jewelry. Be sure to see their stock before supplying yourself with holiday presents. 113dtf

On Tuesday and Thursday evenings of each week, from 4:30 to 6, ladies can skate free at the skating hall. This is for ladies only, and those who desire to learn to skate. 217dtf

**LADIES, ATTENTION!**  
A special offer. From today until Christmas day, a Pictorial Review fashion book free to every lady who buys \$1.00 worth or over in our store. This fashion book contains illustrated in the fashion sheets the friends of those women who receive the fashion book will also observe the illustrations. Ladies call for a quarterly fashion book when you buy \$1.00 worth or more at the

## GRAND LEADER.

Mrs. J. J. Taylor of Okemah is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sanders.

Mrs. Rosa Tobias of Chicago is the guest of her brother, S. I. Tobias.

Window glass at Ramsey's. 213dtf

Commencing Thursday night, Sprague Bros., will give away a ladies' gold handle parasol each night until after Christmas. So be there and see how you can get one of these valuable and handsome presents. 113dtf

# WANTS.

WANTED—Quick, a news boy with pony. DAILY NEWS.

FOR SALE—Remington type writer No. 6, 1907 model pica type and letter size, almost new, perfect order. Enquire Chas. A. Powers. 222dtf

What is Nerver? Ask at Ramsey's fountain.

The loaves of "Mother's Bread" baked by the City Bakery, are large, light and cooked to a nicety. Try it and see how fine it is. Only the City Bakery bakes "Mother's Bread" in Ada. 217dtf

## Andy Chapman's New Residence.

The genial city assessor, Andy Chapman, has built a nice residence in Sunrise addition, and moves into it today. His many friends wish him long life and prosperity under his "own vine and fig tree," because truly, there is "no place like home." Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Blanks will occupy two rooms in the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chapman.

# Santa Claus House

Buy your Christmas presents early. Nothing is to be gained by delay. Later you'll be hurried and worried, possibly disappointed. Christmas goods purchased now will be safely kept and delivered whenever desired.



Toilet Cases, Handkerchief Boxes, Doll Beds, Photograph Frames, Cake Plates, Mugs, Christmas Cards, Toy Tea Sets, Vases, Salad Dishes, Game Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Toy Horses, Toy Trunks, Tin, Horn and Iron Toys, Dolls, Pistols and Pistol Caps, Manicure Sets, Doll Go-carts, Toy Wagons, Drums, Pictures, Christmas Postals, Horns, Firecrackers, Bellows Toys, Photograph Albums, Jardiniers, Cups and Saucers, Fancy Box Paper, and many other things we have make good Holiday presents. Come and see our grand display of Holiday goods. Many pretty gifts that are novel but inexpensive.

**..The Nickel Store and China Hall..**

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If you are in doubt as to what to get for any meal, phone us and we will solve the difficulty. No order too small or too large to command our immediate attention.

**L. J. Little**

Phone 79 West Main St.

Miss Ethel E. Sprigg, one of the teachers in Konawa public schools, was a welcome visitor in Ada today.

Mrs. M. L. Anderson, and granddaughter, went to Stonewall today to visit until tomorrow evening.

Mrs. D. A. Dorsey, accompanied by her guest, Mrs. Iola Smith, of Sulphur, went to Stonewall today.

E. S. Ratliff went to Stonewall today on business.

## NOTICE.

EMPLOYEES' TIME CHECKS ARE NOT NEGOTIABLE AND ORDERS AGAINST OUR PAY ROLL WILL NOT BE HONORED. ALL EMPLOYEES MUST COLLECT THEIR FULL PAY IN PERSON. OKLAHOMA PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY.



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## Warranty Deeds Filed.

Matthias C. Helmer to Mrs. S. H. King, lots 12 and 13, block 43, Ada, for \$350.

Thomas Ryan to F. O. Harris E 1-2 S 1-2 SW 1-4 S 22, 4 N 4 E for \$375.

## Ennis Promoted.

C. H. Ennis, a member of the law firm of Webb & Ennis of Ada, well known here, has moved to Shawnee and associated himself with Messrs. Stanard & Wahl under the firm name of Stanard, Wahl & Ennis. Mr. Ennis has for some time been the Katy and Oklahoma Central attorney in this section. His removal to Shawnee is really a promotion by the M. K. & T., as he will look after that company's interest in Pott county. He retains his connections at Ada and will continue to represent the Katy in this section. Ennis is one of Oklahoma's brightest young lawyers and the Chief-Leader is pleased at his advancement.—Konawa Chief-Leader.

## At Mrs. Torbetts.

The 42 club, which has thrived in Ada a long time and may go on forever, met at Mrs. Torbett's house Friday evening. They were all there and the occasion was most enjoyable. Mrs. McKnight, Mrs. Duncan's sister, was the honor guest.

## The Ada Public.

The Christian church ladies' bazaar will occur Wednesday, the 16th inst. Articles both useful and fancy will be offered at reasonable prices. Besides the articles usual to church bazaar sales, home-made candy will be sold. The public is invited to patronize this bazaar. Remember the date, Wednesday, the 16th inst. 2213td

## Announcement.

We, the Ladies Missionary Aid Society, take this method of sending an invitation to the sisters to be with us at our next regular meeting at Sister Howerton's, Wednesday 16, at 2 p. m. Just here we wish to say a delightful occasion is awaiting you at this particular time. Sngined,

THE LADIES AID.

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LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS.  
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Ada, Okla., Dec. 11.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little boy, eight years old. I want some candy, nuts, oranges, bananas and a cap.

Your friend,

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# ADA OPERA HOUSE

(One Night Only) Dec. 12



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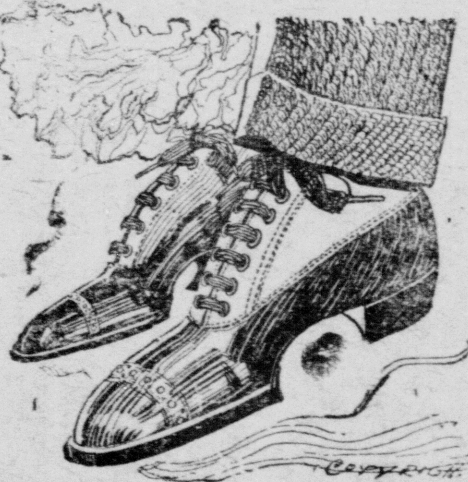
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In the 9th year under our management.  
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### FACE THE SUNSHINE

### WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO.

Which way are you facing?  
There are many more flowers that are more beautiful than the sunflower, and yet there is one thing we always love about this homely plant. It always looks straight up into the light of the sun. Look at it in the morning. Then its bright yellow blossom is lifted toward the east, as if it was waiting for the sunshine to warm it and open its petals a bit wider than they ever have been opened before. As the sun slowly wheels up toward the noonday, and then on down into the western sky, the sunflower keeps turning, till at last the hills shut out the light of day, and then it goes to sleep. Life, beauty, glory are in the light of the sun.

Is there not something beautiful for us in the way the sunflower keeps its face always up into the face of the sun? Why is it that frowns come into your face and mine sometimes? You know that it is so. How is it we are to get out of patience and do and say things we ought not, and for which we are so sorry afterward? Ah, you know why it is. We have forgotten to look up where our sunlight is, and where there ought to be the glory of beauty and the shine of love only the shadow falls.

But you and I want the sunshine in our faces and in our lives. Every day we feel that longing. We are not quite happy unless we feel that those we meet see in us something to lose. There is just one way we may be sure the heaven-light is in our hearts, and that is by looking up to Him.—Ex.

How large a dollar looks to the man who has but 30 cents!

A suspicious woman raises a large crop of doubts.

### Their Unceasing Work Keeps Us Strong and Healthy.

All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy some part of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout, gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc. But if you keep the filters right you will have no trouble with your kidneys.

W. Y. Littlefield, living on W. 16th street, Ada, Okla., says: "I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at G. M. Ramsey's drug store, and found most prompt and genuine relief from an aching through the small of my back, that had caused me much misery for a long time. Doan's Kidney Pills not only relieved the distressing symptoms of kidney disorder, and corrected that too frequent action of the kidney secretions, but also caused the burning sensation that had accompanied the passages of the secretions to completely disappear. I am only too glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to other sufferers of kidney complaint as they proved of more benefit to me than any remedy I had previously used."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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You must realize that we would not dare back up our claims with such a liberal offer unless we were positive that we can substantiate our statements in every particular, and the most skeptical person should at least be willing to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic at our risk.

GWIN-MAYS CO., the Rexall Store.

### ETERNITY

(Selected.)

By Rev. Llewellyn Brown  
In every work of art the test of merit lies in the proper perspective. If we would live well, then we, too, must build our lives on the long perspective, the perspective of eternity. I know of no more helpful exercise than to sit down and ponder on that which will still have the dew of youth upon it after the wreck of centuries and the crash of worlds is long past, eternity. It will help more than anything else to take down "life's fitful fever." It alone will give proper poise between the temporal and the eternal. Things around us would not loom so large if eternity were more often taken into the setting. O, that our hearts may waken to its awful reality!

The very mention of the word strikes us with wonder. It has a majesty all its own. It drowns the things of time and sense into utter insignificance. It challenges description, having no beginning and being as it is without end. There are some themes that in their very nature yield to an exhaustive treatment, but not this one in hand. Let the mind wander back, if you will, past all created beings, to the time when God sat alone, measureless in might, unapproachable in majesty, "The Ancient of Days," and yet the bounds of eternity have not been reached. The mind of the Psalmist halts with the statement, "before the mountains were brought the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God." God alone spans the infinite, indefinable, indescribable and unthinkable chasm that we call "Eternity." Before this conception imagination gives way and says, "I can not reach it." We can bound oceans, fathom seas, divide the heavens, but when we come to eternity we can not fathom its mystery. It is birthless and deathless, a mountain summitless and baseless, an ocean shoreless and bottomless, a chain without beginning or end. Let the mind wander backward and it is lost in the mazes of the past. Let the mind wander forward, past the end of the age, past the great judgment, past time—

"When the sun is cold and the stars are old,  
And the leaves of the judgment day unfold,"

and O, eternity, thou art young yet, but the child of the morning!

Perhaps as good a definition of eternity as has been given was given in Paris by a deaf and dumb mute when he wrote down these words: "The lifetime of the Almighty." Yes, it is like him, without beginning of days or end of years. It is big enough for God. Before this conception the mind reels a drunken man, imagination faints away reason refuses to answer, and all, like Noah's dove, with drooping wings and weary feet, return, crying, "We can not define it." We stand upon its threshold, time, and think of a boatman in his boat on a boundless ocean. We push back the shores indefinitely, and we know that although that man may sail on, and on, and on, passing thousands on the way, yet no one will ever cry to him, "Land ahead!" for he is now in eternity.

There is a spot on the Canadian Pacific Railway, in the far-famed Canadian Rockies, known as "The Great Divide." It has gotten its name through a peculiar freak of nature. The water that runs down from the glaciers above which passes this point, divides into two streams. If it passes on the west side of this point, it finds its way through stream and rivulet and river into the great Pacific; if it passes down the other side, it finds its home in the great Atlantic. The cross of Christ is "The Great Divide" in the life of the soul. What we do with the cross will determine whether or not we will be "saved for a long eternity" or "lost for a long eternity."

Cleveland, O.  
Reducing the waits between the acts will not lighten a heavy play.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by his firm.  
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### A Good Home.

I have a bargain in a fully completed four-room cottage dwelling plastered throughout with front gallery and 8x16 back porch, situated on an acre of beautiful lots, with nice growth of shade trees located in South Side Addition. This property has a good cistern and barn for four head of stock. See O. B. Weaver, without delay at the News office. dtf

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In time the oil gums, produces friction and wears the delicate bearings, destroying their high finish and perfect fit, thus ruining an accurate time-piece. An ordinary machine is oiled daily. Your watch should be oiled once a year. Let us examine it; an honest opinion from us costs you nothing.

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### Error in Pontotoc Property.

Owing to the hurry in getting the totals of the valuations and taxes on Pontotoc property, an error was made. The total valuations amount to \$6,418,265.00, and the total taxes to \$141,157.52.

The correct amounts separately were correct, but the error occurred in leaving out some items in the totals.

### Correction.

J. M. Lawrence of North Ada died this morning of typhoid fever. The remains were interred at Rosedale this afternoon. He is survived by a wife and two children—Ada News, Nov. 18, 1908.

In the above notice, there was an error made as to the number of children of deceased, as there were three instead of two.

### Temperance Play.

At the Airdome Dec. 19 at 3 o'clock at temperance play, with five scenes. (Signing the pledge card) will be acted. Following there will be a "Fruit basket social."

This program is furnished by the Ladies Aid Society or North Ada Baptist church, for the purpose of purchasing pews for same.

"The basket I prepare is for my beau. But Mr. if you don't want it say no."

The men are especially invited and just here we would advise you to find that "beau." Admission 25c. Baskets sold to highest bidder. 232ditt

## FARMER'S UNION IN SESSION

Oliver Taylor, secretary of the Pontotoc county farmers' union, had a called meeting for today at Ada, and quite a number of delegates and members are present.

The meeting is being held in the court house, and the principal feature of the day will be a speech by ex-President West of the Farmers' Union.

A meeting will also be held tonight and all are invited.

The Devil is an interesting personage at all times, and in the reproduction of the play by that name at the opera house tonight, his Satanic Majesty is most naturally portrayed.

Deputy Sheriff Shook, of Roff, is in Ada today.

### Marriage License.

Bethel Allen, 24, of Conway, and Miss Ora Tripp, 18, of Stonewall.

### Oklahoma Socialists to Meet.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 11.—Oklahoma Socialists, who polled more than 20,000 votes, are to gather in a three days' state convention at this place, beginning Dec. 27, for the purpose of exchanging commitments over the showing made in the recent campaign, and to lay plans for the future. It is expected the meeting will bring at least 2,000 Socialists here. O. F. Branstetter, state secretary, may tender his resignation at this meeting. He is being talked as a possibility for national secretary.

### Tennessee Night Riders.

Union City, Tenn., Dec. 11.—A total of thirty-three indictments were returned today by the special grand jury empaneled to investigate the recent night rider raids in the Reelfoot Lake region. Of this number, twenty-one charge murder (the lynching of Capt. Quinten Rankin at Walnut Log.) six allege participation in the burning of the fish docks of J. C. Burdick at Samburg and the other six charge a violation of the Ku-Klux act, a felonious assault while in disguise, a capital offense. The identity of those indicted was not disclosed. Preparation is being made by both the state and defense for the trials of the alleged leaders of the band, which will begin Monday, and before that time all matters of preliminary nature will be disposed of in order that the trial may proceed without interruption.

## PRISON HORRORS

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 11.—That the law of Kansas prohibiting inhuman punishment of prisoners in the penitentiary is being flagrantly violated and that Oklahoma prisoners are being subjected to the most hideous treatment, is the charge made in her annual report to the governor by Miss Kate Benard, state commissioner of charities and corrections.

She found a "mild hell" inside the prison gates, men worked to the limit of endurance and the horrifying paralyzation of prisoners in the "hall of punishments." She faced the anathemas of the prison guards and talked in private against the rules to prisoners, and they told her stories of cruelty that made her blood chill.

Miss Barnard advocates the immediate discontinuance of the contract with the state of Kansas for the keeping of state convicts and advises that the legislature make a contract with congress for the keeping of convicts at the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, of which institution she speaks in heartiest praise.

The remainder of the report includes examinations and criticisms of the county and municipal jails of Oklahoma, insane asylums, orphan homes, deaf and blind schools, receiving homes and other sociological matters investigated the last year.

### Lausing Penitentiary.

Miss Barnard says, "Warden Haskell questioned my right to inspect the prison. He said: 'You have no business in this institution.' I spent several hours in the mines, visited the punishment chamber, saw the 'crib,' the dungeon, and where the 'water cure' was administered. I was constantly thwarted in my efforts to speak to the Oklahoma prisoners. Finally he (Warden Haskell) permitted one prisoner to be ushered in to me. I talked about three minutes when the warden returned. A second prisoner was admitted. Warden Haskell retired leaving the door ajar. I spoke to the prisoner in a low tone. This did not suit the warden and he ordered me to sit at a distance from the boy thus compelling us to speak louder. A third man was admitted. This seemed to be the limit of the warden's patience. He said: 'I refuse to permit you to speak to this prisoner alone.' The prisoner bravely faced the wrath of the warden by describing the water cure which had been administered to him. No other prisoners were admitted.

"I heard a great deal of complaint with regard to the food. The dinner in the mine consisted of two pieces of bologna sausage, three inches long, and all the prisoners wanted of plain bread and tomato soup. In Leavenworth I found our men were fed nearly twice the amount of food."

Miss Barnard then states there were 575 prisoners at Lansing, and that many of them were contracted out as cheap labor and that the state of Kansas made a net profit of 42 cent per day on Oklahoma contracts, Oklahoma paying 40 cents per day for maintenance, and Kansas getting 50 cents from the contractors, while the actual cost of maintenance was not more than 48 cents.

### NEGRO WAS THE COOLEST.

He Pays Death Penalty for Assaulting Aged Woman.

Tecumseh, Okla., Dec. 11.—Sharply at 11:07 this forenoon the death trap was sprung and in eight minutes, Dr. Byrum of Shawnee pronounced the body of Will Johnson, murderer, dead. Twice relieved from the gallows, once by the intervention of the governor and again by the United States circuit court, Johnson paid the law's extreme penalty for the murder of Mrs. Mary Coppy, committed near Shawnee, February 23 last.

Johnson was the coolest, the most composed man on the scaffold. "Send my body to my old mother in Texas," was the only request he made.

The Devil at the opera house tonight is one of the best plays ever at Ada. There is special scenery and in all its appointments, the play is up to a high standard.

S. P. Steward of Roff is in Ada today.

## MAY LICENSE THE JOINTS

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 11.—The Dubuque, Iowa, form of government is to be tried in Muskogee, that is to say, the Dubuque idea as far as it pertains to the regulation of the liquor traffic is to be given a fair and impartial trial in this city.

Recognizing the fact that the prohibition law is a dead letter as far as Muskogee is concerned and that an attempt to enforce the law here is both expensive and without result, Mayor Martin and the city councilmen have come to the conclusion that as the law cannot be enforced it is the duty of the city to see to it that those engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors contribute their fair share towards the support of the city government, which goes to an enormous expense in looking after those who commit crime as a result of strong drink—and in the second instance to protect those who have become intoxicated.

At the next meeting of council an ordinance will be introduced fixing a license on saloon and joint keepers at not less than \$100 per month and the indications now are that the amount will be placed as high as \$200. While the city officials will in no manner agree to afford the saloon keepers any protection, they still will insist that as long as they remain open and do business they must contribute to the support of the city. The officials will see to it that the joints which fail to pay the license and other places where the disreputable are allowed to congregate are suppressed and the police department will bend its efforts toward suppressing the places which are obnoxious.

Mayor Martin, on his return to Muskogee Thursday, took the booze question up, and while he will give out no definite statement until after the return of the city councilmen to the city, it can be stated with authority that the mayor is in favor of forcing the saloon keepers to pay a heavy license as long as they do business in violation of the law.

The mayor conferred with Judge Campbell and other officials this morning and all are of the one opinion, and that is, that as long as the city is forced to regulate the police affairs those responsible for the trouble should stand at least a portion of the expense.

Incidentally it might be mentioned that the saloons are now all wide open and a rushing business is being done.

The Dubuque plan of government is known throughout the entire country. While the state of Iowa

## At Sale Prices

It is not often that you can buy STANDARD Brands at reduced prices. Our

### Fine Tailored Clothing

for Men and Young Men, Suits and Overcoats and Cravennett Coats, made by Hart, Schaffner & Marx and the Spero-Michael & Sons of New York are still at sale prices.

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John B. Stetson Hats are also included at sale prices. Don't delay saving money.

Saturday, Dec. 12

Is the last day of sale prices

I. HARRIS

operates under a prohibition law, Dubuque is wide open, it having been found impossible to enforce the law in that city. After there had been acquittal after acquittal in the courts, the city took a hand in the matter and fixed a high license and since that time the city has been under complete regulation.

Go to the Devil—at the opera house tonight—but not to any other place or time. It is a play that will please you. Patronize these high-class plays and others will visit Ada.

### Carpenter Robbed of Money.

Chesotah, Okla., Dec. 11.—While he was returning from Muskogee Wednesday night Joseph Morgan was robbed of \$560. He had gone to Muskogee, where he sold some property, for which he received the money. The authorities have a theory that some person saw Morgan with the cash and followed him from Muskogee. Morgan is a carpenter.

### Care Was Killed.

The Kill Kare Klub met with Mesdames Galbraith and Ebey Thursday afternoon. The name of the club became the occasion in appropriate personified. The blandishments on any social occasion in this home would kill care. Mrs. McKnight, Mrs. Duncan's sister and Miss Weaver, Otis and Carlton Weaver's sister, were the honor guests.

"Monte Cristo" is always new to us with its ever appealing romance of mystery, vengeance and riches. Alexandre Dumas built better than he knew when he wrote the story of Edmund Dantes. It is now numbered among the one-hundred great books.

of the world. Stories may come and stories may go, but "Monte Cristo" like "Uncle Tom's Cabin," seems endowed with perpetual youth. As a play it is one of the most popular, with the theatre goers, and the hero, Edmund Dantes, is a part sought after by many actors. Mr. W. H. Lemle, who is now being featured as Dantes in Fred G. Conrad's production of "Monte Cristo" for the third season, has given the character study and is classed as being one of the best impersonators of Dumas' romantic Frenchman. Mr. Lemle is well fitted by nature for the part in every way—he possesses the figure, voice and face, and brings to his work a ripe experience and schooling with some of the best artists of the dramatic profession. Mr. Lemle will appear here as Edmund Dantes at the Opera House, Wednesday night, Dec. 16th.

### Clerk Campbell's Report.

Guthrie, Ok., Dec. 11.—The annual report of W. H. L. Campbell, clerk of the supreme court, has been filed with Gov. Haskell, showing that there are now pending before the two appeal courts 637 cases, 498 being before the supreme court and 139 before the court of criminal appeals.

Pending on the docket at the time of statehood were 454 cases, and 509 more had been filed before both courts up to Nov. 1. The two courts have delivered opinions in, or disposed of, 326 cases since statehood.

The streets of Ada are crowded today with shoppers from surrounding towns and the country.

Two-thirds of the words in the average schoolgirl's letter are adjectives.

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A beautiful and inexpensive household ornament. Prices, per pair, with globe and ornaments, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$2.50.

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## RATES AND RULES.

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## PONTOTOC COUNTY VALUATIONS.

Pontotoc County shows up well in assessed valuation, the total being \$6,118,265.00.

Of this amount, the real estate is \$1,541,168.00.

The personal property is \$2,291,194.00, while the remainder is assessments at Ada and Roff.

The total assessed valuation in Ada, back little of being one-third of the total amount in the county, and is \$1,621,040, exclusive of cement plant and railroads.

This makes a most excellent showing for Ada, and carries with it an explanation of the importance of this city in the material affairs of Pontotoc county.

Ada expects to make great progress within the next twelve months, and it is to be trusted that the county will also do as well.

## ADA'S BANKS.

A scrutiny of the published statements lately appearing in the News of the condition of the leading Ada banks readily impresses one that though hard times and poor business may prevail as to the first person in many instances, in reality, there remains ample money with which to transact banking business in the country. The First National, the Ada National and the Oklahoma State bank of which we speak, show increased deposits and cash reserves. These banks, truly reflect the condition of the Ada country and it ain't so bad.

The report of Miss Kate Bernard the State commissioner of Charities, relative to the treatment of Oklahoma convicts in the Kansas penitentiary, discloses a horrible condition of affairs there, and also instances of brutality that are appalling. There will surely be measures taken to abrogate the contract with Kansas.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Circuit Judge Winfield of Little Rock has decided that there is no law in Arkansas against profanity. If things don't suit you just cross over into Arkansas and swear until you are happy.—Vinita Leader.

The Postal Savings Bank bill is apparently going to have pretty tough sledding in congress. The measure will come up in the senate as a special order of December

11 The country bankers are reported up in arms and a campaign has been inaugurated which is, at least, making the senators sit up and take notice.—Denison Herald.

The government's cotton crop estimate is 12,920,000. This may be too high or too low, but the price will be based upon it, right or wrong.—Dallas News.

There is really lots a new things and new ways of doing things, if you will only hunt for them. A New Yorker a few days ago discovered a new way of committing suicide. He swallowed an open razor.—Hillside Times.

Any man can become impatient, kick up a row and cause untold dissatisfaction, but to the patient, energetic smooth spirited man belongs the honors of having been a material factor in the development of any town or country.—Weleleku American.

## BRYAN AND GATES.

Each Had Heard of the Other But Never Before Met.

Port Arthur, Tex., Dec. 11.—William Jennings Bryan delivered his lecture, "The Prince of Peace," in the Rodgers Opera House here tonight. The house was crowded, notwithstanding his address was very short, as he had to close in time to catch the 9:45 o'clock northbound Kansas City train. Mr. Bryan was met in Beaumont by a large committee. The Sabine Pass Pilots' Association tendered the tug Florida, and John W. Gates placed his large automobiles at the disposal of the entertainment committee, of which he was a member, and Mr. Bryan was this afternoon shown over the city and the surrounding country. The party visited all the principal business industries of the city, including the docks, refineries, etc. A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Adams for Mrs. Bryan, which was attended by a large number of Port Arthur ladies. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan expressed themselves as being very agreeably surprised and were very favorably impressed with Port Arthur. Mr. Bryan came here to lecture at the solicitation of some of the churches of the city, who were represented by their ministers. Mr. Gates and Mr. Bryan met today for the first time, and the remark of both was "I have heard much of you, but have never had the honor of meeting you."

The composer of music may be pardoned for putting on airs.

# DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder

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As every housekeeper can understand, burnt alum and sulphuric acid—the ingredients of all alum and alum-phosphate powders—must carry to the food acids injurious to health.

### Read the label. Avoid the alum powders

## WITH THE CHURCHES.

There will be no preaching services at Asbury Methodist church tomorrow, as the pastor, Rev. Barahardt, will be at Fitzhugh. Sunday school and leagues will be held as usual.

## The Presbyterian Church.

There will be a short sermon at 11.00 a. m., and the theme will be, "The Lord's Supper." After the sermon our regular quarterly communion service will be held. Those who are ready to unite with the church will be received just before the sermon. At 7:30 p. m., the theme will be, "God as Our Father." The Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., and the Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m. The presence of friends and strangers always appreciated.

J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

## Look at the Clouds

or the sun, and whichever you see, be reminded that you will find a welcome at the First Methodist church tomorrow. The pastor, Rev. W. M. Wilson, will preach at the morning and evening hours. The Bible study service—the Sunday school—begins at 10 a. m.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock the Junior and Intermediate Leagues have their regular meetings. At 6:40 p. m., the Senior Elworth League will welcome you to their devotional service. Come.

When Dame Fortune knocks at our door we are consumed with the hope that our neighbors are all looking out of their windows.

It's a safe bet that the man who barely escapes being run over by a motor car does not call the driver a chauffeur.

Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County, In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased.

To the Heirs, Next of Kin and Creditors of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased.

You are hereby notified that J. T. Higgins, has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, for letters of administration on the estate of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased to be granted to J. T. Higgins, and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said Court in the City of Ada, in said County, on the 22nd

day of December, 1908 at ten o'clock a. m., at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted. Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 12th day of December, 1908.

JOEL TERRELL,  
County Judge.

## WANT CAPITAL LOCATED.

Gov. Haskell Thinks it Important to Settle Matter at Once.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 11.—Asked today if he would convene the legislature at another place than Guthrie for the next session, Governor Haskell replied that he had given the matter no consideration.

It is hardly regarded that the governor will convene the legislature elsewhere, but that the second legislature will be immediately asked to locate the capital permanently is generally stated. Governor Haskell said emphatically that he was in favor of the immediate location of the capital and that elsewhere from Guthrie. He said that there are many things awaiting the settlement of this one question, and that so long as the matter of a permanent capital was in doubt the affairs of the state would be to an extent impeded. He referred particularly to the location of state institutions, schools, etc.

The governor said that he was speaking from the standpoint of a private citizen, and that he thought the sooner the capital was moved from Guthrie the better it would be for Guthrie and for the state. Asked if the legislature had the power to move the capital he replied again with emphasis that it did.

"The enabling act," he said, "was one of the baldest jokes ever perpetrated by Bird McGuire. Bird McGuire knew that he could not burden Oklahoma with any such legislation."

## Watches at Warrens.

When your clock stops call up Warren at phone 10. We will call for it, repair and return it in good shape. Guaranteed for one year for \$1.00.

## Notice, Hotels.

The law requires all hotels to maintain a coiled rope in each room above the ground floor, one end of which shall be securely fastened within the room, and the law further makes it mandatory that there shall be posted cards near by in these rooms on which shall be printed, "In case of fire, unwrap rope, throw out and climb down." These printed cards on sale at the News office.

# In Selecting a Bank

with which to do your business the first consideration is the character and standing of its officers and directors and the financial resources of the Bank.  
Judged by these standards your confidence and patronage are merited by the

## First National Bank of Ada

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C. H. Rives, Vice Pres.

H. T. Douglas, V. P.

M. D. Timberlake, Cashier

## Church Directory

### First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., W. C. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

### Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. E. Smoot, pastor.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.  
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

### First Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrenbeck, pastor.  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

### Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. J. D. White, pastor.  
Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

### North Ada Baptist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. D. J. Austin, pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

### First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 7:30.

### Asbury Methodist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30.

Rev. C. C. Barnhardt, pastor. Sunday School every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. W. H. Nettles, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30.

Some bathing suits girls never venture in the water because they can't swim, and others, because they have not waterproof complexions.

For fine rings, watches, bracelets, chains, necklaces, brooches, and everything in jewelry line, that will make suitable Christmas presents, go to Sprague Bros., where you will be suited in style and price. 1131st.

## Bankruptcy Notice.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the matter of D. T. Gray, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

### Notice of Sale By Trustees.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the order of the Referee in Bankruptcy herein, made on the 4th day of December, 1908, the undersigned Trustees of the above named bankrupt estate will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the former place of business of said bankrupt in the town of Allen, Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., on Thursday the 17th day of December, 1908, the entire stock of general merchandise belonging to said bankrupt estate together with the fixtures and certain live stock consisting of hogs, horses, etc., etc., valued at approximately Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00), sale to be subject to confirmation by the Referee in Bankruptcy herein. Reasonable opportunity will be given prospective purchasers to examine the invoice books and stock of goods previous to the hour of sale.

Dated at McAlester, this 4th day of December, 1908.

G. C. COCHRAN,

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Trustee

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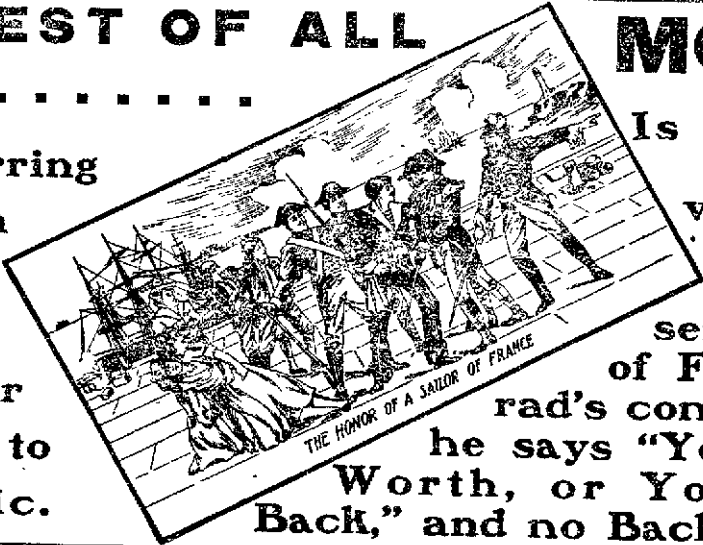
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### At the Ada Opera House Wednesday Night, December 16th.



# PERSONAL COLUMN

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

### FRISCO.

Eastbound.  
No. 508 due 10 a. m.  
No. 510 due 4:15 p. m.  
Westbound.  
No. 509 due 11:30 a. m.  
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

### M. K. & T.

Southbound.  
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.  
Northbound.  
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

### OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.

Westbound.  
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.  
Eastbound.  
No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

Hot drinks at Ramsey's. 213dtf

Rev. W. M. Wilson returned Friday evening from several days visit at Duncan.

A fresh car of Nebraska flour has been received at Aldrich & Thompson's. 218dtf



## Knowledge of the Functions of the Eye

Is necessary to fit spectacles as they should be fitted. Glasses fitted by simply trying glass after glass until one is found that gives good vision are apt to

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Ada, Okla.

King's fine candles at Ramsey's. 213dtf.

Mrs. W. M. Wilson went to Holdenville this morning, where she will meet her sister, Mrs. J. H. Briscoe from Helena, Ark., who is to make her a visit. Mrs. Wilson will return this evening.

Phone number 44 is the People's Pharmacy, and they will be glad to serve you. 220dtf

Mrs. Laura Puckett, Great Commander of Oklahoma Maccabees, will be the guest of honor with the Ada lodge at their regular meeting this evening. Mrs. Puckett is from Stillwell, Okla.

A new car of corn, chops and bran just received at Aldrich & Thompson's. 218dtf

Judge Winn will spend Sunday with his wife in Sherman.

Corn, bran, hay, corn chops, cotton seed, meal and proflata, at NEELY'S.  
Phone 139. 220dtf

J. B. Emory moves today into the residence vacated by Andy Chapman.

Big reduction in heating stoves at 218dtf CASE & HUDELSON'S.

Miss Ona Edwards of Francis was an Ada visitor today.

Merry Widow, the popular new drunk at Ramsey's. 206dtf

Mrs. May Hakes of Francis was visiting Ada friends today.

Be sure to try the "Mother's Bread" at City Bakery, Knott Bros. proprietors. 217dtf

Baxter Fretwell of Stonewall is in Ada.

What is Nerver?

L. A. Montgomery, an experienced and capable pharmacist, is with the Donaghey drug store, formerly J. E. Jones & Co. 217dtf

Mrs. West of Francis was shopping in Ada today.

Try a Nerver Cocktail at Ramsey's fountain.

Mrs. J. W. Coffman, who has been quite ill for several weeks is reported better today.

Corn, bran, hay, corn chops, cotton seed meal and proflata, at NEELY'S.  
Phone 139. 220dtf

A. J. Webber returned from Sulphur today.

Nerver, Nerver, Nerver.

H. Brown of Kansas City, is the guest of his nephew, T. J. Kuncie. Ask for Nerver at Ramsey's.

"Mother's Bread" is baked only by the City Bakery, in Ada. Try it and be convinced that it is as good as "mother use to make." 217dtf

**JUST RECEIVED.**  
Another shipment of ladies suits in all colors. Satin lined coats, full length, nicely trimmed in all wool serges and panamas, and owing to late delivery, we are cutting the prices. So every lady can afford to buy a new suit for Christmas. \$25.00 and \$30.00 suits for \$17.50, \$15.00 and \$17.50 suits for \$10.00. Come quick before your sizes are gone.  
GRAND LEADER.

E. E. Matthews returned this morning from a business trip to Sulphur.

The skating hall is open from 7 to 11, each evening and there are two sessions. Those who desire can skate any time during the day. 217dtf

## Mothers.

The mothers will meet in Mothers' Club at the south school building Monday afternoon at four o'clock. 221dtf

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information. dtf

Sprague Bros., have a full line of Christmas presents in jewelry. Be sure to see their stock before supplying yourself with holiday presents. 113dtf

On Tuesday and Thursday evenings of each week, from 4:30 to 8, ladies can skate free at the skating hall. This is for ladies only, and those who desire to learn to skate. 217dtf

**LADIES, ATTENTION!**  
A special offer. From today until Christmas day, a Pictorial Review fashion book free to every lady who buys \$1.00 worth or over in our store. This fashion book contains illustrated in the fashion sheets the friends of those women who receive the fashion book will also observe the illustrations. Ladies call for a quarterly fashion book when you buy \$1.00 worth or more at the

## GRAND LEADER.

Mrs. J. J. Taylor of Okemah is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sanders. 217dtf

Mrs. Rosa Tobias of Chicago is the guest of her brother, S. I. Tobias.

Window glass at Ramsey's. 213dtf

Commencing Thursday night, Sprague Bros., will give away a ladies' gold handle parasol each night until after Christmas. So, be there and see how you can get one of these valuable and handsome presents. 113dtf

# WANTS.

WANTED—Quick, a news boy with pony. DAILY NEWS.

FOR SALE—Remington type writer No. 6, 1907 model pea type and letter size, almost new, perfect order. Enquire Chas. A. Powers. 222dtf

What is Nerver? Ask at Ramsey's fountain.

The loaves of "Mother's Bread" baked by the City Bakery, are large, light and cooked to a nicety. Try it and see how fine it is. Only the City Bakery bakes "Mother's Bread" in Ada. 217dtf

## Andy Chapman's New Residence.

The genial city assessor, Andy Chapman, has built a nice residence in Sunrise addition, and moves into it today. His many friends wish him long life and prosperity under his "own vine and fig tree," because truly, there is "no place like home." Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Blanks will occupy two rooms in the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chapman.

# Santa Claus House

Buy your Christmas presents early. Nothing is to be gained by delay. Later you'll be hurried and worried, possibly disappointed. Christmas goods purchased now will be safely kept and delivered whenever desired.



Toilet Cases, Handkerchief Boxes, Doll Beds, Photograph Frames, Cake Plates, Mugs, Christmas Cards, Toy Tea Sets, Vases, Salad Dishes, Game Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Toy Horses, Toy Trunks, Tin, Horn and Iron Toys, Dolls, Pistols and Pistol Caps, Manicure Sets, Doll Go-carts, Toy Wagons, Drums, Pictures, Christmas Postals, Horns, Firecrackers, Bellows Toys, Photograph Albums, Jardiniere, Cups and Saucers, Fancy Box Paper, and many other things we have made good holiday presents. Come and see our grand display of holiday goods. Many pretty gifts that are novel but inexpensive.

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Fresh Stock and Everything Wanted

If you are in doubt as to what to get for any meal, phone us and we will solve the difficulty. No order too small or too large to command our immediate attention.

**L. J. Little**  
Phone 79 West Main St.

Miss Ethel E. Sprigg, one of the teachers in Konawa public schools, was a welcome visitor in Ada today.

Mrs. M. L. Anderson, and granddaughter, went to Stonewall today to visit until tomorrow evening.

Mrs. D. A. Dorsey, accompanied by her guest, Mrs. Iola Smith, of Sulphur, went to Stonewall today.

E. S. Ratliff went to Stonewall today on business.

## NOTICE.

EMPLOYEES' TIME CHECKS ARE NOT NEGOTIABLE AND ORDERS AGAINST OUR PAY ROLL WILL NOT BE HONORED. ALL EMPLOYEES MUST COLLECT THEIR FULL PAY IN PERSON. OKLAHOMA PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY.



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Thomas Ryan to F. O. Harris E 1-2 S 1-2 SW 1-4 S 22, 4 N 4 E for \$375.

## Ennis Promoted.

C. H. Ennis, a member of the law firm of Webb & Ennis of Ada, well known here, has moved to Shawnee and associated himself with Messrs. Stanard & Wahl under the firm name of Stanard, Wahl & Ennis. Mr. Ennis has for some time been the Katy and Oklahoma Central attorney in this section. His removal to Shawnee is really a promotion by the M. K. & T., as he will look after that company's interest in Pott county. He retains his connections at Ada and will continue to represent the Katy in this section. Ennis is one of Oklahoma's brightest young lawyers and the Chief-Leader is pleased at his advancement.—Konawa Chief-Leader

## At Mrs. Torbett's.

The 42 club, which has thrived in Ada a long time and may go on forever, met at Mrs. Torbett's house Friday evening. They were all there and the occasion was most enjoyable. Mrs. McKnight, Mrs. Duncan's sister, was the honor guest.

## The Ada Public.

The Christian church ladies' bazaar will occur Wednesday, the 16th inst. Articles both useful and fancy will be offered at reasonable prices. Besides the articles usual to church bazaar sales, home-made candy will be sold. The public is invited to patronize this bazaar. Remember the date, Wednesday, the 16th inst. 2218dt

## Announcement.

We, the Ladies Missionary Aid Society, take this method of sending an invitation to the sisters to be with us at our next regular meeting at Sister Howerton's, Wednesday 16, at 2 p. m. Just here we wish to say a delightful occasion is awaiting you at this particular time. Sincerely,  
THE LADIES AID

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LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS.  
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Ada, Okla., Dec. 11.  
Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a little boy, eight years old. I want some candy, nuts, oranges, bananas and a cap.  
Your friend,  
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flower, and yet there is one thing  
we always love about this homely  
plant. It always looks straight up  
into the light of the sun. Look at  
it in the morning. Then its bright  
yellow blossom is lifted toward the  
east, as if it was waiting for the  
sunshine to warm it and open its  
petals a bit wider than they ever  
have been opened before. As the  
sun slowly wheels up toward the  
noonday, and then on down into the  
western sky, the sunflower keeps turn-  
ing, till at last the hills shut out  
the light of day, and then it goes  
to sleep. Life, beauty, glory are in  
the light of the sun.

Is there not something beautiful  
for us in the way the sunflower  
keeps its face always up into the  
face of the sun? Why is it that  
frowns come into your face and  
sne sometimes? You know that it  
is so. How do we are to get out  
of patience and do and say things  
we ought not, and for which we are  
so sorry afterward? Ah, you know  
why it is. We have forgotten to  
look up where our sunlight is, and  
where there ought to be the glory  
of beauty and the shame of love only  
the shadow falls.

But you and I want the sun-  
shine in our faces and in our lives.  
Every day we feel that longing. We  
are not quite happy unless we feel  
that those we meet see in us some-  
thing to love. There is just one way  
we may be sure the heaven-light  
is in our hearts and that is by  
looking up to Him—*DA*

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man who has but 30 cents!

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crop of doubts

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brings on many diseases and symp-  
toms—pain in the back, headache,  
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### ETERNITY

(Selected)

By Rev. Llewellyn Brown  
In every work of art the test of  
merit lies in the proper perspective.  
If we would live well, then we, too,  
must build our lives on the long  
perspective. The perspective of eter-  
nity I know of no more helpful ex-  
ercise than to sit down and ponder  
on that which will still have the  
dew of youth upon it after the wreck  
of centuries and the crash of worlds  
is long past, eternity. It will help  
more than anything else to take  
down life's fatal fever. It alone  
will give proper poise between the  
temporal and the eternal. Things  
around us would not loom so large  
if eternity were more often taken  
into the setting. O, that our hearts  
may waken to its awful reality!

The very mention of the word  
strikes us with wonder. It has a ma-  
jesty all its own. It dwells the  
things of time and sense into utter  
insignificance. It challenges descrip-  
tion, having no beginning and be-  
ing as it is without end. There are  
some themes that in their very na-  
ture yield to an exhaustive treat-  
ment but not this one in hand. Let  
the mind wander back, if you will,  
past all created beings, to the time  
when God sat alone, measureless in  
might, unapproachable in majesty,  
"The Ancient of Days," and yet the  
bounds of eternity have not been  
reached. The mind of the Psalmist  
halts with the statement, "before the  
mountains were brought the earth  
and the world, even from everlast-  
ing to everlasting, thou art God." God  
alone spans the infinite, indef-  
inable, indescribable and unthinkable  
chasm that we call "Eternity." Be-  
fore this conception imagination gives  
way and says, "I can not reach it."  
We can bound oceans, fathom seas,  
divide the heavens, but when we  
come to eternity we can not fathom  
its mystery. It is birthless and  
deathless, a mountain summitless and  
baseless, an ocean shoreless and  
bottomless, a chain without begin-  
ning or end. Let the mind wander  
backward and it is lost in the mazes  
of the past. Let the mind wander  
forward, past the end of the age,  
past the great judgment, past time—

"When the sun is cold and the stars  
are old,  
And the leaves of the judgment day  
unfold,"

and O eternity thou art young yet,  
but the child of the morning!

Perhaps as good a definition of  
eternity as has been given was given  
in Paris by a deaf and dumb mute  
when he wrote down these words:  
The lifetime of the Almighty! Yes,  
it is likest him without beginning  
of days or end of years. It is big  
enough for God. Before this concep-  
tion the mind reels a drunken man,  
imagination faints away reason re-  
fuses to answer and all like Noah's  
dove, with drooping wings and weary  
feet return crying "We can not de-  
fine it." We stand upon its thresh-  
old, time and think of a boatman  
in his boat on a boundless ocean.  
We push back the shores indefinitely,  
and we know that although that man  
may sail on, and on, and on, passing  
thousands on the way, yet no one  
will ever cry to him, "Land ahead!"  
for he is now in eternity.

There is a spot on the Canadian  
Pacific Railway, in the far-famed  
Canadian Rockies, known as "The  
Great Divide." It has gotten its name  
through a peculiar lack of nature.  
The water that runs down from the  
glaciers above which passes this  
point, divides into two streams. If  
it passes on the west side of this  
point it finds its way through stream  
and rivulet and river into the great  
Pacific. If it passes down the other  
side, it finds its home in the great  
Atlantic. The cross of Christ is "The  
Great Divide" in the life of the soul.  
What we do with the cross will de-  
termine whether or not we will be  
"saved for a long eternity" or "lost  
for a long eternity."  
Cleveland, O.

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### Error in Pontotoc Property.

Owing to the hurry in getting the totals of the valuations and taxes on Pontotoc property, an error was made. The total valuations amount to \$6,418,265.00, and the total taxes to \$141,157.52.

The correct amounts separately were correct, but the error occurred in leaving out some items in the totals.

### Correction.

J. M. Lawrence of North Ada died this morning of typhoid fever. The remains were interred at Rosedale this afternoon. He is survived by a wife and two children—Ada News, Nov. 18, 1908.

In the above notice, there was an error made as to the number of children of deceased, as there were three instead of two.

### Temperance Play.

At the Airdome Dec. 19 at 3 o'clock at temperance play, with five scenes. (Signing the pledge card) will be acted. Following there will be a "Fruit basket social."

This program is furnished by the Ladies Aid Society or North Ada Baptist church, for the purpose of purchasing pews for same.

"The basket I prepare is for my beau. But Mr. if you don't want it say no."

The men are especially invited and just here we would advise you to find that "beau." Admission 25c. Baskets sold to highest bidder. 232ditt

## FARMER'S UNION IN SESSION

Oliver Taylor, secretary of the Pontotoc county farmers' union, had a called meeting for today at Ada, and quite a number of delegates and members are present.

The meeting is being held in the court house, and the principal feature of the day will be a speech by ex-President West of the Farmers' Union.

A meeting will also be held tonight and all are invited.

The Devil is an interesting personage at all times, and in the reproduction of the play by that name at the opera house tonight, his Satanic Majesty is most naturally portrayed.

Deputy Sheriff Shook, of Roff, is in Ada today.

### Marriage License.

Bethel Allen, 24, of Conway, and Miss Ora Tripp, 18, of Stonewall.

### Oklahoma Socialists to Meet.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 11.—Oklahoma Socialists, who polled more than 20,000 votes, are to gather in a three days' state convention at this place, beginning Dec. 27, for the purpose of exchanging commitments over the showing made in the recent campaign, and to lay plans for the future. It is expected the meeting will bring at least 2,000 Socialists here. O. F. Branstetter, state secretary, may tender his resignation at this meeting. He is being talked as a possibility for national secretary.

### Tennessee Night Riders.

Union City, Tenn., Dec. 11.—A total of thirty-three indictments were returned today by the special grand jury empaneled to investigate the recent night rider raids in the Reelfoot Lake region. Of this number, twenty-one charge murder (the lynching of Capt. Quinten Rankin at Walnut Log.) six allege participation in the burning of the fish docks of J. C. Burdick at Samburg and the other six charge a violation of the Ku-Klux act, a felonious assault while in disguise, a capital offense. The identity of those indicted was not disclosed. Preparation is being made by both the state and defense for the trials of the alleged leaders of the band, which will begin Monday, and before that time all matters of preliminary nature will be disposed of in order that the trial may proceed without interruption.

## PRISON HORRORS

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 11.—That the law of Kansas prohibiting inhuman punishment of prisoners in the penitentiary is being flagrantly violated and that Oklahoma prisoners are being subjected to the most hideous treatment, is the charge made in her annual report to the governor by Miss Kate Benard, state commissioner of charities and corrections.

She found a "mild hell" inside the prison gates, men worked to the limit of endurance and the horrifying paralyzation of prisoners in the "hall of punishments." She faced the anathemas of the prison guards and talked in private against the rules to prisoners, and they told her stories of cruelty that made her blood chill.

Miss Barnard advocates the immediate discontinuance of the contract with the state of Kansas for the keeping of state convicts and advises that the legislature make a contract with congress for the keeping of convicts at the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, of which institution she speaks in heartiest praise.

The remainder of the report includes examinations and criticisms of the county and municipal jails of Oklahoma, insane asylums, orphan homes, deaf and blind schools, receiving homes and other sociological matters investigated the last year.

### Lausing Penitentiary.

Miss Barnard says, "Warden Haskell questioned my right to inspect the prison. He said: 'You have no business in this institution.' I spent several hours in the mines, visited the punishment chamber, saw the 'crib,' the dungeon, and where the 'water cure' was administered. I was constantly thwarted in my efforts to speak to the Oklahoma prisoners. Finally he (Warden Haskell) permitted one prisoner to be ushered in to me. I talked about three minutes when the warden returned. A second prisoner was admitted. Warden Haskell retired leaving the door ajar. I spoke to the prisoner in a low tone. This did not suit the warden and he ordered me to sit at a distance from the boy thus compelling us to speak louder. A third man was admitted. This seemed to be the limit of the warden's patience. He said: 'I refuse to permit you to speak to this prisoner alone.' The prisoner bravely faced the wrath of the warden by describing the water cure which had been administered to him. No other prisoners were admitted.

"I heard a great deal of complaint with regard to the food. The dinner in the mine consisted of two pieces of bologna sausage, three inches long, and all the prisoners wanted of plain bread and tomato soup. In Leavenworth I found our men were fed nearly twice the amount of food."

Miss Barnard then states there were 575 prisoners at Lansing, and that many of them were contracted out as cheap labor and that the state of Kansas made a net profit of 42 cent per day on Oklahoma contracts, Oklahoma paying 40 cents per day for maintenance, and Kansas getting 50 cents from the contractors, while the actual cost of maintenance was not more than 48 cents.

### NEGRO WAS THE COOLEST.

He Pays Death Penalty for Assaulting Aged Woman.  
Tecumseh, Okla., Dec. 11.—Sharply at 11:07 this forenoon the death trap was sprung and in eight minutes, Dr. Byrum of Shawnee pronounced the body of Will Johnson, murderer, dead. Twice reprieved from the gallows, once by the intervention of the governor and again by the United States circuit court, Johnson paid the law's extreme penalty for the murder of Mrs. Mary Coppy, committed near Shawnee, February 23 last.

Johnson was the coolest, the most composed man on the scaffold. "Send my body to my old mother in Texas," was the only request he made.

The Devil at the opera house tonight is one of the best plays ever at Ada. There is special scenery and in all its appointments, the play is up to a high standard.

S. P. Steward of Roff is in Ada today.

## MAY LICENSE THE JOINTS

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 11.—The Dubuque, Iowa, form of government is to be tried in Muskogee, that is to say, the Dubuque idea as far as it pertains to the regulation of the liquor traffic is to be given a fair and impartial trial in this city.

Recognizing the fact that the prohibition law is a dead letter as far as Muskogee is concerned and that an attempt to enforce the law here is both expensive and without result, Mayor Martin and the city councilmen have come to the conclusion that as the law cannot be enforced it is the duty of the city to see to it that those engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors contribute their fair share towards the support of the city government, which goes to an enormous expense in looking after those who commit crime as a result of strong drink—and in the second instance to protect those who have become intoxicated.

At the next meeting of council an ordinance will be introduced fixing a license on saloon and joint keepers at not less than \$100 per month and the indications now are that the amount will be placed as high as \$200. While the city officials will in no manner agree to afford the saloon keepers any protection, they still will insist that as long as they remain open and do business they must contribute to the support of the city. The officials will see to it that the joints which fail to pay the license and other places where the disreputable are allowed to congregate are suppressed and the police department will bend its efforts toward suppressing the places which are obnoxious.

Mayor Martin, on his return to Muskogee Thursday, took the booze question up, and while he will give out no definite statement until after the return of the city councilmen to the city, it can be stated with authority that the mayor is in favor of forcing the saloon keepers to pay a heavy license as long as they do business in violation of the law.

The mayor conferred with Judge Campbell and other officials this morning and all are of the one opinion, and that is, that as long as the city is forced to regulate the police affairs those responsible for the trouble should stand at least a portion of the expense.

Incidentally it might be mentioned that the saloons are now all wide open and a rushing business is being done.

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operates under a prohibition law, Dubuque is wide open, it having been found impossible to enforce the law in that city. After there had been acquittal after acquittal in the courts, the city took a hand in the matter and fixed a high license and since that time the city has been under complete regulation.

Go to the Devil—at the opera house tonight—but not to any other place or time. It is a play that will please you. Patronize these high-class plays and others will visit Ada.

### Carpenter Robbed of Money.

Checotah, Okla., Dec. 11.—While he was returning from Muskogee Wednesday night Joseph Morgan was robbed of \$560. He had gone to Muskogee, where he sold some property, for which he received the money. The authorities have a theory that some person saw Morgan with the cash and followed him from Muskogee. Morgan is a carpenter.

### Care Was Killed.

The Kill Kare Klub met with Mesdames Galbraith and Ebey Thursday afternoon. The name of the club became the occasion in appropriate personified. The blandishments on any social occasion in this home would kill care. Mrs. McKnight, Mrs. Duncan's sister and Miss Weaver, Otis and Carlton Weaver's sister, were the honor guests.

"Monte Cristo" is always new to us with its ever appealing romance of mystery, vengeance and riches. Alexandre Dumas built better than he knew when he wrote the story of Edmund Dantes. It is now numbered among the one-hundred great books.

of the world. Stories may come and stories may go, but "Monte Cristo" like "Uncle Tom's Cabin," seems endowed with perpetual youth. As a play it is one of the most popular, with the theatre goers, and the hero, Edmund Dantes, is a part sought after by many actors. Mr. W. H. Lemle, who is now being featured as Dantes in Fred G. Conrad's production of "Monte Cristo" for the third season, has given the character study and is classed as being one of the best impersonators of Dumas' romantic Frenchman. Mr. Lemle is well fitted by nature for the part in every way—he possesses the figure, voice and face, and brings to his work a ripe experience and schooling with some of the best artists of the dramatic profession. Mr. Lemle will appear here as Edmund Dantes at the Opera House, Wednesday night, Dec. 16th.

### Clerk Campbell's Report.

Guthrie, Ok., Dec. 11.—The annual report of W. H. L. Campbell, clerk of the supreme court, has been filed with Gov. Haskell, showing that there are now pending before the two appeal courts 637 cases, 498 being before the supreme court and 139 before the court of criminal appeals.

Pending on the docket at the time of statehood were 454 cases, and 509 more had been filed before both courts up to Nov. 1. The two courts have delivered opinions in, or disposed of, 326 cases since statehood.

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## RATES AND RULES.

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All Notices will be charged for except announcements for religious services. Copy for display ads must be in office by 2:00 p. m. If you fail to get your paper phone No. 4.

## PONTOTOC COUNTY VALUATIONS.

Pontotoc County shows up well in assessed valuation, the total being \$6,118,265.00.

Of this amount, the real estate is \$1,541,165.00.

The personal property is \$2,291,104.00, while the remainder is assessments at Ada and Koff.

The total assessed valuation in Ada, lack little of being one-third of the total amount in the county, and is \$1,621,040, exclusive of cement plant and railroads.

This makes a most excellent showing for Ada, and carries with it an explanation of the importance of this city in the material affairs of Pontotoc county.

Ada expects to make great progress within the next twelve months, and it is to be trusted that the county will also do as well.

## ADA'S BANKS.

A scrutiny of the published statements lately appearing in the News of the condition of the leading Ada banks readily impresses one that though hard times and poor business may prevail as to the first person in many instances, in reality, there remains ample money with which to transact banking business in the country. The First National, the Ada National and the Oklahoma State bank of which we speak, show increased deposits and cash reserves. These banks truly reflect the condition of the Ada country and it ain't so bad.

The report of Miss Kate Bernard, the State commissioner of Charities, relative to the treatment of Oklahoma convicts in the Kansas penitentiary, discloses a horrible condition of affairs there, and also instances of brutality that are appalling. There will surely be measures taken to abrogate the contract with Kansas.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Circuit Judge Winfield of Little Rock has decided that there is no law in Arkansas against profanity. If things don't suit you just cross over into Arkansas and swear until you are happy.—Vibula Leader.

The Postal Savings Bank bill is apparently going to have pretty tough sledding in congress. The measure will come up in the senate as a special order of December

11 The country bankers are reported up in arms and a campaign has been inaugurated which is, at least, making the senators sit up and take notice.—Denison Herald.

The government's cotton crop estimate is 12,920,000. This may be too high or too low, but the price will be based upon it, right or wrong.—Dallas News.

There is really lots a new things and new ways of doing things, if you will only hunt for them. A New Yorker a few days ago discovered a new way of committing suicide. He swallowed an open razor.—Holdenville Times.

Any man can become impatient, kick up a row and cause untold dissatisfaction, but to the patient, energetic smooth spirited man belongs the honors of having been a material factor in the development of any town or country.—Weleetka American.

## BRYAN AND GATES.

Each Had Heard of the Other But Never Before Met.

Port Arthur, Tex., Dec. 11.—William Jennings Bryan delivered his lecture, "The Prince of Peace," in the Rodgers Opera House here tonight. The house was crowded, notwithstanding his address was very short, as he had to close in time to catch the 9:45 o'clock northbound Kansas City train. Mr. Bryan was met in Beaumont by a large committee. The Sabine Pass Pilots' Association tendered the tug Florida, and John W. Gates placed his large automobiles at the disposal of the entertainment committee, of which he was a member, and Mr. Bryan was this afternoon shown over the city and the surrounding country. The party visited all the principal business industries of the city, including the docks, refineries, etc. A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Adams for Mrs. Bryan, which was attended by a large number of Port Arthur ladies. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan expressed themselves as being very agreeably surprised and were very favorably impressed with Port Arthur. Mr. Bryan came here to lecture at the solicitation of some of the churches of the city, who were represented by their ministers. Mr. Gates and Mr. Bryan met today for the first time, and the remark of both was "I have heard much of you, but have never had the honor of meeting you."

The composer of music may be pardoned for putting on airs.

# DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder

## No alum, no lime phosphates

As every housekeeper can understand, burnt alum and sulphuric acid—the ingredients of all alum and alum-phosphate powders—must carry to the food acids injurious to health.

### Read the label. Avoid the alum powders

## WITH THE CHURCHES.

There will be no preaching services at Asbury Methodist church tomorrow, as the pastor, Rev. Barnhardt, will be at Pithburgh. Sunday school and leagues will be held as usual.

## The Presbyterian Church.

There will be a short sermon at 11.00 a. m., and the theme will be, "The Lord's Supper." After the sermon our regular quarterly communion service will be held. Those who are ready to unite with the church will be received just before the sermon. At 7:30 p. m., the theme will be, "God as Our Father." The Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., and the Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m. The presence of friends and strangers always appreciated.

J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

## Look at the Clouds

or the sun, and whichever you see, be reminded that you will find a welcome at the First Methodist church tomorrow. The pastor, Rev. W. M. Wilson, will preach at the morning and evening hours. The Bible study service—the Sunday school—begins at 10 a. m.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock the Junior and Intermediate Leagues have their regular meetings. At 7:30 p. m., the Senior Elworth League will welcome you to their devotional service. Come.

When Dame Fortune knocks at our door we are consumed with the hope that our neighbors are all looking out of their windows

It's a safe bet that the man who barely escapes being run over by a motor car does not call the driver a chauffeur.

## Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County, In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased.

To the Heirs, Next of Kin and Creditors of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased. You are hereby notified that J. T. Higgins, has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, for letters of administration on the estate of Kilsie Collins Dearing, deceased, to be granted to J. T. Higgins, and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said Court in the City of Ada, in said County, on the 22nd

day of December, 1908 at ten o'clock a. m., at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted. Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 12th day of December, 1908.

JOEL TERRELL,  
County Judge.

## WANT CAPITAL LOCATED.

Gov. Haskell Thinks It Important to Settle Matter at Once.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 11.—Asked today if he would convene the legislature at another place than Guthrie for the next session, Governor Haskell replied that he had given the matter no consideration.

It is hardly regarded that the governor will convene the legislature elsewhere, but that the second legislature will be immediately asked to locate the capital permanently is generally stated. Governor Haskell said emphatically that he was in favor of the immediate location of the capital and that elsewhere from Guthrie. He said that there are many things awaiting the settlement of this one question, and that so long as the matter of a permanent capital was in doubt the affairs of the state would be to an extent impeded. He referred particularly to the location of state institutions, schools, etc.

The governor said that he was speaking from the standpoint of a private citizen, and that he thought the sooner the capital was moved from Guthrie the better it would be for Guthrie and for the state. Asked if the legislature had the power to move the capital he replied again with emphasis that it did.

"The enabling act," he said, "was one of the baldest jokes ever perpetrated by Bird McGuire. Bird McGuire knew that he could not burden Oklahoma with any such legislation."

## Watches at Warrens.

When your clock stops call up Warren at phone 10. We will call for it, repair and return it in good shape. Guaranteed for one year for \$1.00.

## Notice, Hotels.

The law requires all hotels to maintain a coiled rope in each room above the ground floor, one end of which shall be securely fastened within the room, and the law further makes it mandatory that there shall be posted cards near by in these rooms on which shall be printed, "In case of fire, unwrap rope, throw out and climb down." These printed cards on sale at the News office.

# In Selecting a Bank

with which to do your business the first consideration is the character and standing of its officers and directors and the financial resources of the Bank.  
Judged by these standards your confidence and patronage are merited by the

## First National Bank of Ada

W. L. Reed, Pres. C. H. Rives, Vice Pres.  
H. T. Douglas, V. P. M. D. Timberlake, Cashier

# Church Directory

## First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30

## Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. E. Smoot, pastor.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.  
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursdays in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

## First Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrenbeck, pastor.  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

## Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. J. D. White, pastor.  
Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

## North Ada Baptist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. D. J. Ausin, pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

## First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 8:30. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 7:30.

## Asbury Methodist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30.

Rev. C. C. Barnhardt, pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. W. H. Nettles, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 6:30.

Some bathing suits girls never venture in the water because they can't swim, and others, because they have not waterproof complexions.

For fine rings, watches, bracelets, chains, necklaces, brooches, and everything in jewelry line, that will make suitable Christmas presents, go to Srague Bros., where you will be suited in style and price. 1132dtt.

## Bankruptcy Notice.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the matter of D. T. Gray, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

## Notice of Sale By Trustees.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the order of the Referee in Bankruptcy herein, made on the 4th day of December, 1908, the undersigned Trustee of the above named bankrupt estate will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash; at the former place of business of said bankrupt in the town of Allen, Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., on Thursday the 17th day of December, 1908, the entire stock of general merchandise belonging to said bankrupt estate together with the fixtures and certain live stock consisting of hogs, horses, etc. etc., valued at approximately Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00), sale to be subject to confirmation by the Referee in Bankruptcy herein. Reasonable opportunity will be given prospective purchasers to examine the invoice books and stock of goods previous to the hour of sale.

Dated at McAlester, this 4th day of December, 1908.

G. C. COCHRAN,  
Trustee

## CITY

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Skaggs Bldg.  
WEST MAIN ST.

This new market will keep

FRESH AND FINE

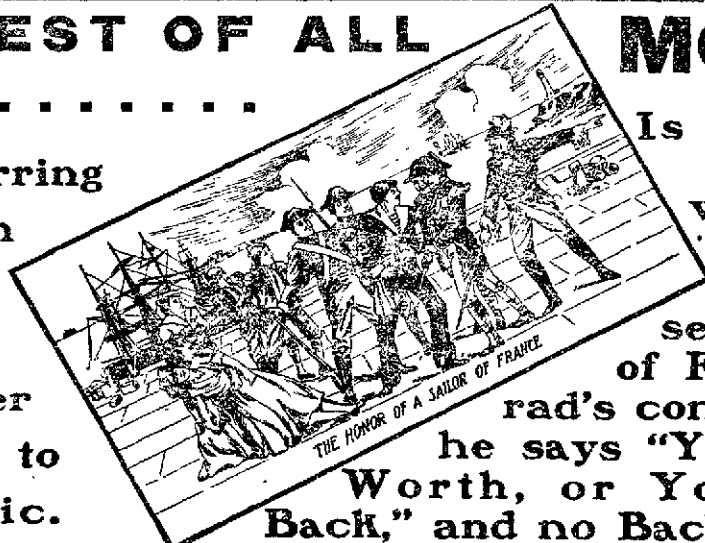
## Meat, Hams and Lard

Everything new and experienced men to handle the meats.

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A soul stirring  
production  
of the  
greatest  
drama ever  
presented to  
the public.



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Is one of the  
few plays  
worth your  
while. It  
will be pre-  
sented by one  
of Fred. G. Con-  
rad's companies and  
he says "Your Money's  
Worth, or Your Money  
Back," and no Back Talk.



## At the Ada Opera House Wednesday Night, December 16th.



# PERSONAL COLUMN

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

### FRISCO.

Eastbound.  
No. 508 due 10 a. m.  
No. 510 due 4:15 p. m.  
Westbound.  
No. 509 due 11:30 a. m.  
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

### M. K. & T.

Southbound.  
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.  
Northbound.  
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

### OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.

Westbound.  
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.  
Eastbound.  
No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

Hot drinks at Ramsey's. 213dtt

Rev. W. M. Wilson returned Friday evening from several days visit at Duncan.

A fresh car of Nebraska flour has been received at Aldrich & Thompson's. 218dtt



## Knowledge of the Functions of the Eye

Is necessary to fit spectacles as they should be fitted.

Glasses fitted by simply trying glass after glass until one is found that gives good vision are apt to

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There are no haphazard methods in our tests. Each test is of vital importance, and your eyes are safe in our hands.

Consult

**R. B. FAUNTLEROY, Optician**  
SPRAGUE BROS.  
Ramsey's Drug Store  
Ada, Okla.

King's fine candles at Ramsey's. 213dtt

Mrs. W. M. Wilson went to Holdenville this morning, where she will meet her sister, Mrs. J. H. Briscoe from Helena, Ark., who is to make her a visit. Mrs. Wilson will return this evening.

Phone number 44 is the People's Pharmacy, and they will be glad to serve you. 220dtt

Mrs. Laura Puckett, Great Commander of Oklahoma Maccabees, will be the guest of honor with the Ada lodge at their regular meeting this evening. Mrs. Puckett is from Stillwell, Okla.

A new car of corn, chops and bran just received at Aldrich & Thompson's. 218dtt

Judge Winn will spend Sunday with his wife in Sherman.

Corn, bran, hay, corn chops, cotton seed, meal and profla, at NEELY'S. 220dtt

J. B. Emory moves today into the residence vacated by Andy Chapman.

Big reduction in heating stoves at 218dtt CASE & HUDELSON'S.

Miss Oua Edwards of Francis was an Ada visitor today.

Merry Widow, the popular new drink at Ramsey's. 206dtt

Mrs. Mat Rakes of Francis was visiting Ada friends today.

Be sure to try the "Mother's Bread" at City Bakery, Knott Bros., proprietors. 217dtt

Baxter Fretwell of Stonewall is in Ada.

What is Nerver?

L. A. Montgomery, an experienced and capable pharmacist, is with the Donaghey drug store, formerly J. E. Jones & Co. 217dtt

Mrs. West of Francis was shopping in Ada today.

Try a Nerver Cocktail at Ramsey's fountain.

Mrs. J. W. Coffman, who has been quite ill for several weeks is reported better today.

Corn, bran, hay, corn chops, cotton seed meal and profla, at NEELY'S. 220dtt

A. J. Webber returned from Sulphur today.

Nerver, Nerver, Nerver.

H. Brown of Kansas City, is the guest of his nephew, T. J. Kuncio. Ask for Nerver at Ramsey's.

"Mother's Bread" is baked only by the City Bakery, in Ada. Try it and be convinced that it is as good as "mother use to make." 217dtt

**JUST RECEIVED.**  
Another shipment of ladies suits in all colors. Satin lined coats, full length, nicely trimmed in all wool serges and panamas, and owing to late delivery, we are cutting the prices. So every lady can afford to buy a new suit for Christmas. \$25.00 and \$30.00 suits for \$17.50, \$15.00 and \$17.50 suits for \$10.00. Come quick before your sizes are gone. GRAND LEADER.

E. E. Matthews returned this morning from a business trip to Sulphur.

The skating hall is open from 7 to 11, each evening and there are two session. Those who desire can skate any time during the day. 217dtt

**Mothers.**

The mothers will meet in Mothers' Club at the south school building Monday afternoon at four o'clock. 221dtt

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information. dtt

Sprague Bros., have a full line of Christmas presents in jewelry. Be sure to see their stock before supplying yourself with holiday presents. 112dtt

On Tuesday and Thursday evenings of each week, from 4:30 to 6, ladies can skate free at the skating hall. This is for ladies only, and those who desire to learn to skate. 217dtt

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**LADIES, ATTENTION!**  
A special offer. From today until Christmas day, a Pictorial Review fashion book free to every lady who buys \$1.00 worth or over in our store. This fashion book contains illustrated in the fashion sheets the friends of those women who receive the fashion book will also observe the illustrations. Ladies call for a quarterly fashion book when you buy \$1.00 worth or more at the

**GRAND LEADER.**

Mrs. J. J. Taylor of Okemah is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sanders. 217dtt

Mrs. Rosa Tobias of Chicago is the guest of her brother, S. I. Tobias.

Window glass at Ramsey's. 213dtt

Commencing Thursday night, Sprague Bros., will give away a ladies' gold handle parasol each night until after Christmas. So be there and see how you can get one of these valuable and handsome presents. 118dtt

# WANTS.

WANTED—Quick, a news boy with pony. DAILY NEWS.

FOR SALE—Remington type writer No. 6, 1907 model, pea type and letter size, almost new, perfect order. Enquire Chas. A. Powers. 222dtt

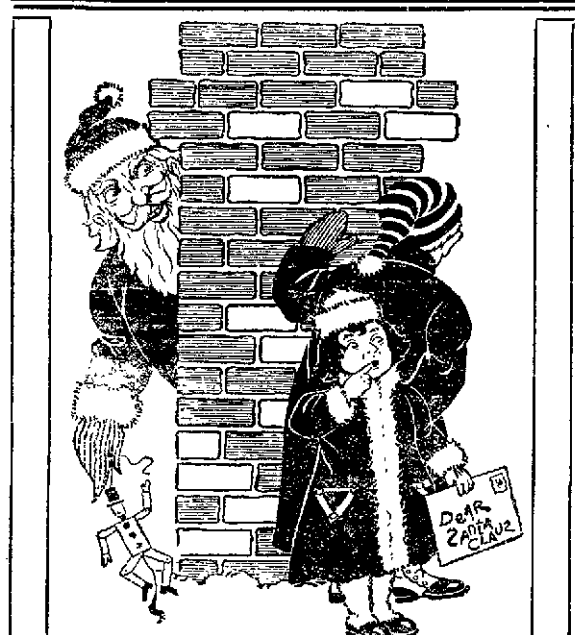
What is Nerver? Ask at Ramsey's fountain.

The loaves of "Mother's Bread" baked by the City Bakery, are large, light and cooked to a nicety. Try it and see how fine it is. Only the City Bakery bakes "Mother's Bread" in Ada. 217dtt

Andy Chapman's New Residence.  
The genial city assessor, Andy Chapman, has built a nice residence in Sunrise addition, and moves into it today. His many friends wish him long life and prosperity under his "own vine and fig tree," because truly, there is "no place like home." Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Blanks will occupy two rooms in the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chapman.

## Santa Claus House

Buy your Christmas presents early. Nothing is to be gained by delay. Later you'll be hurried and worried, possibly disappointed. Christmas goods purchased now will be safely kept and delivered whenever desired.



Toilet Cases, Handkerchief Boxes, Doll Beds, Photograph Frames, Cake Plates, Mugs, Christmas Cards, Toy Tea Sets, Vases, Salad Dishes, Game Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Toy Horses, Toy Trucks, Tin Horn and Iron Toys, Dolls, Pistols and Pistol Caps, Maieure Sets, Doll Go-carts, Toy Wagons, Drums, Pictures, Christmas Postals, Horns, Firecrackers, Bellow Toys, Photograph Albums, Jardiniers, Cups and Saucers, Fancy Box Paper, and many other things we have make good Holiday presents. Come and see our grand display of Holiday goods. Many pretty gifts that are novel but inexpensive.

..The Nickel Store and China Hall..

## GROCERIES

Fresh Stock and Everything Wanted

If you are in doubt as to what to get for any meal, phone us and we will solve the difficulty. No order too small or too large to command our immediate attention.

**L. J. Little**  
Phone 79 West Main St.

Miss Ethel E. Sprigg, one of the teachers in Konawa public schools, was a welcome visitor in Ada today.

Mrs. M. L. Anderson, and granddaughter, went to Stonewall today to visit until tomorrow evening.

Mrs. D. A. Dorsey, accompanied by her guest, Mrs. Iola Smith, of Sulphur, went to Stonewall today.

E. S. Ratliff went to Stonewall today on business.

## NOTICE.

EMPLOYEES' TIME CHECKS ARE NOT NEGOTIABLE AND ORDERS AGAINST OUR PAY ROLL WILL NOT BE HONORED. ALL EMPLOYEES MUST COLLECT THEIR FULL PAY IN PERSON. OKLAHOMA PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY.



EXCEPTIONAL INDUCEMENTS FOR 1909

In real estate investments will open with the arrival of the New Year, and we are not going to let you escape them. We want you to look over our list of most desirable residence lots. They are bargains, and a money making chance for those who are wide-awake. Little ready money required as our terms are very liberal.

Let Us Show You  
**Hardin & Blanks**

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# THE GREATEST CURE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

**GUARANTEED CURE FOR**  
Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, La Grippe, Quinsy, Hoarseness, Hemorrhage of the Lungs, Weakness of the Lungs, Asthma and all diseases of  
**THROAT, LUNGS AND CHEST PREVENTS PNEUMONIA**

Eleven years ago Dr. King's New Discovery permanently cured me of a severe and dangerous throat and lung trouble, and I've been a well man ever since.—G. O. Floyd, Merchant, Kershaw, S. C.

PRICE 50c AND \$1.00

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**G. M. RAMSEY**

## GET Money on Your Farm & City Property ABSTRACTS FROM THE OLD RELIABLE INSURANCE ADA TITLE AND TRUST COMPANY

Warranty Deeds Filed.

Matthias C. Heimer to Mrs. S. H. King, lots 12 and 13, block 43, Ada, for \$350.

Thomas Ryan to F. O. Harris E 1-2 S 1-2 SW 1-4 S 22, 4 N 4 E for \$375.

**Ennis Promoted.**

C. H. Ennis, a member of the law firm of Webb & Ennis of Ada, well known here, has moved to Shawnee and associated himself with Messrs. Stanard & Wahl under the firm name of Stanard, Wahl & Ennis. Mr. Ennis has for some time been the Katy and Oklahoma Central attorney in this section. His removal to Shawnee is really a promotion by the M. K. & T., as he will look after that company's interest in Pott county. He retains his connections at Ada and will continue to represent the Katy in this section. Ennis is one of Oklahoma's brightest young lawyers and the Chief-Leader is pleased at his advancement.—Konawa Chief-Leader

**At Mrs. Torbetts.**

The 42 club, which has thrived in Ada a long time and may go on forever, met at Mrs. Torbett's house Friday evening. They were all there and the occasion was most enjoyable. Mrs. McKnight, Mrs. Duncan's sister, was the honor guest.

**The Ada Public.**

The Christian church ladies' bazaar will occur Wednesday, the 16th inst. Articles both useful and fancy will be offered at reasonable prices. Besides the articles usual to church bazaar sales, home-made candy will be sold. The public is invited to patronize this bazaar. Remember the date, Wednesday, the 16th inst. 221dtt

**Announcement.**

We, the Ladies Missionary Aid Society, take this method of sending an invitation to the sisters to be with us at our next regular meeting at Sister Howerton's, Wednesday 16, at 2 p. m. Just here we wish to say a delightful occasion is awaiting you at this particular time. Signed,  
THE LADIES AID

**LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS.**

Ada, Okla., Dec. 11.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy, eight years old. I want some candy, nuts, oranges, bananas and a cap.

Your friend,  
CARL POOL.

## ADA OPERA HOUSE

(One Night Only) Dec. 12

**The Barton Amusement Company**

Personal direction of Geo. L. Barton

OFFERS

**"THE DEVIL"**

(Der Teufel)

With **MAURICE WHISH**

**MISS MAYME GARDNER**

and a complete cast of noted artists direct from their New York Engagement.



This company is producing

**The Original Version**

of the author, Franz Molnar

See the Other Devil,

But See Our Original

Free List Suspended

Every Woman Should See This Play

Prices: 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

Seats on Sale at Ramsey's



**We Fit the**  
**CHAPMAN**  
**THE SHOE MAN**





# ADA National Bank

Capital, \$50,000—Surplus, \$17,000

The oldest Bank in the County  
In the 9th year under our man-  
agement.  
Conservatism First; Profit Second

## WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

### FACE THE SUNSHINE

Which way are you facing?  
There are many more flowers that  
are more beautiful than the sun-  
flower, and yet there is one thing  
we always love about this homely  
plant. It always looks straight up  
into the light of the sun. Look at  
it in the morning. Then its bright  
yellow blossom is lifted toward the  
east, as if it was waiting for the  
sunshine to warm it and open its  
petals a bit wider than they ever  
have been opened before. As the  
sun slowly wheels up toward the  
noonday, and then on down into the  
western sky, the sunflower keeps turn-  
ing, till at last the hills shut out  
the light of day, and then it goes  
to sleep. Life, beauty, glory are in  
the light of the sun.

Is there not something beautiful  
for us in the way the sunflower  
keeps its face always up into the  
face of the sun? Why is it that  
frowns come into your face and  
mine sometimes? You know that it  
is so. How do we get out of  
patience and do and say things  
we ought not, and for which we are  
so sorry afterward? Ah, you know  
why it is. We have forgotten to  
look up where our sunlight is, and  
where there ought to be the glory  
of beauty and the shine of love only  
the shadow falls.

But you and I want the sun-  
shine in our faces and in our lives.  
Every day we feel that longing. We  
are not quite happy unless we feel  
that those we meet see in us some-  
thing to love. There is just one way  
we may be sure the heaven-light  
is in our hearts and that is by  
looking up to Him—LX.

How large a dollar looks to the  
man who has but 30 cents!

A suspicious woman raises a large  
crop of doubts.

### WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO.

Their Unceasing Work Keeps Us  
Strong and Healthy.

All the blood in the body passes  
through the kidneys once every three  
minutes. The kidneys filter the blood.  
They work night and day. When  
healthy they remove about 500 grains  
of impure matter daily, when un-  
healthy some part of this impure  
matter is left in the blood. This  
brings on many diseases and symp-  
toms—pain in the back, headache,  
nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheu-  
matism, gout, gravel, disorders of the  
eyesight and hearing, dizziness, ir-  
regular heart, debility, drowsiness,  
dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc.  
But if you keep the filters right you  
will have no trouble with your kid-  
neys.

W. Y. Littlefield, living on W 16th  
street, Ada, Okla., says: "I procured  
Doan's Kidney Pills at G. M. Ram-  
sey's drug store, and found most  
prompt and genuine relief from an  
aching through the small of my  
back, that had caused me much mis-  
ery for a long time. Doan's Kidney  
Pills not only relieved the distress-  
ing symptoms of kidney disorder, and  
corrected that too frequent action of  
the kidney secretions, but also  
caused the burning sensation that  
had accompanied the passages of  
the secretions to completely disap-  
pear. I am only too glad to recom-  
mend Doan's Kidney Pills to other  
sufferers of kidney complaint as  
they proved of more benefit to me  
than any remedy I had previously  
used."

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ETERNITY

(Selected)

By Rev. Llewellyn Brown  
In every work of art the test of  
merit lies in the proper perspective.  
If we would live well, then we, too,  
must build our lives on the long  
perspective, the perspective of eter-  
nity. I know of no more helpful ex-  
ercise than to sit down and ponder  
on that which will still have the  
dew of youth upon it after the wreck  
of centuries and the clash of worlds  
is long past, eternity. It will help  
more than anything else to take  
down life's cruel fever. It alone  
will give proper poise between the  
temporal and the eternal. Things  
around us would not loom so large  
if eternity were more often taken  
into the setting. O, that our hearts  
may waken to its awful reality!

The very mention of the word  
strikes us with wonder. It has a ma-  
jesty all its own. It shows the  
things of time and sense into utter  
insignificance. It challenges descrip-  
tion, having no beginning and be-  
ing as it is without end. There are  
some themes that in their very na-  
ture yield to an exhaustive treat-  
ment but not this one in hand. Let  
the mind wander back, if you will,  
past all created beings, to the time  
when God sat alone, measureless in  
might, unapproachable in majesty,  
"The Ancient of Days," and yet the  
bounds of eternity have not been  
reached. The mind of the Psalmist  
halts with the statement, "before the  
mountains were brought the earth  
and the world, even from everlast-  
ing to everlasting, thou art God." God  
alone spans the infinite, indefi-  
nite, indescribable and unthinkable  
chasm that we call "Eternity." Be-  
fore this conception imagination gives  
way and says, "I can not reach it."  
We can bound oceans, fathom seas,  
divide the heavens, but when we  
come to eternity we can not fathom  
its mystery. It is limitless and  
deathless, a mountain summitless and  
baseless, an ocean shoreless and  
bottomless, a chain without begin-  
ning or end. Let the mind wander  
backward and it is lost in the mazes  
of the past. Let the mind wander  
forward, past the end of the age,  
past the great judgment, past time—

"When the sun is cold and the stars  
are old,  
And the leaves of the judgment day  
unfold,"

and O eternity thou art young yet,  
but the child of the morning!

Perhaps as good a definition of  
eternity as has been given was given  
in Paris by a deaf and dumb mute  
when he wrote down these words:  
The lifetime of the Almighty. Yes,  
it is like him without beginning  
of days or end of years. It is big  
enough for God. Before this concep-  
tion the mind reels a drunken man,  
imagination faints away reason re-  
fuses to answer and all like Noah's  
dove, with drooping wings and weary  
feet return crying: "We can not de-  
fine it. We stand upon its thresh-  
old, time and think of a boatman  
in his boat on a boundless ocean.  
We push back the shores indefinitely,  
and we know that although that man  
may sail on, and on, and on, passing  
thousands on the way, yet no one  
will ever cry to him, "Land ahead!"  
for he is now in eternity."

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glaciers above which passes this  
point, divides into two streams. If  
it passes on the west side of this  
point it finds its way through stream  
and rivulet and river into the great  
Pacific, if it passes down the other  
side, it finds its home in the great  
Atlantic. The cross of Christ is "The  
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termine whether or not we will be  
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